THE CLINTON COLLECTION

NASCA

Division of

R.M. Smythe & Co. Inc.

October 28 - 31, 1985

Public & Mail Bid Auction Sale #57

TERMS OF SALE

1) A 10% buyers charge will be added to the hammer price of each lot purchased.
2) All bids are per lot as numbered in this catalog.
3) We reserve the right to withdraw any lot prior to sale.
4) All successful bidders shall be billed for postage, handling and insurance. Items sent abroad, not covered by Registered Mail will be billed under our own mail policy and are made at purchaser's sole risk.
5) NASCA reserves the right to reject any bids not made in good faith and further reserves the right to ban any bidder from participation in its sales for any reason deemed appropriate at our sole discretion.
6) A NASCA auction bidder expressly waves any claim or right to an accounting, damages or compensation arising out of NASCA's failure to receive or execute any bid due to exclusion from our sales, clerical errors or other causes. No bids will be accepted from any person who has not signed a registration form or a bidder sheet.
7) United States coins and currency will not, in conformity with law, be opened at less than the face value.
8) No "buy" or "unlimited" bids will be accepted. We will act as agents for all mail bidders in the sale. Mail bids will be opened at the next interval over the second highest bid except where the intrinsic or regular market worth of the item dictates an opening at its fair market value. Floor bidding intervals will have an average increment of about 5% at the discretion of the auctioneer.
9) In the case of a tie between the book and the floor, the floor bidder's bid shall take precedence.
10) All bids must be in whole dollar amounts; this includes percentage increases.
11) Check your bid sheets carefully. We can not assume any responsibility for errors made in the amount bid or lot numbers listed. Make sure your sheet is signed.
12) No minors may participate in our sales. Agents bidding on behalf of of others will be held liable if their principals fail to make payment.
13) Payment for purchases is to be made in cash upon receipt of invoice: No lots may be taken away unless paid for in full. A late charge of 1½% per month will be charged on the invoice total if payment is not received within 10 business days of mailing the invoice. Bidders not known to us are required to deposit 25% of their bids in advance.
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15) If a collection agency attorney is required to collect outstanding accounts, all agency and court costs, witness and attorney fees and all other costs of any kind incurred by NASCA shall be borne by the defendant. The signer of a NASCA bid sheet or participant in the auction concedes the jurisdiction of the courts of New York State or the U.S. in Nassau County or New York City. NASCA alone shall elect. The participant in a NASCA auction also assumes both corporate and personal liability for unpaid auction bills.
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18) In the event of any dispute, the decision of the auctioneer is final.

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19) No price adjustments will be made on the hammer price of a lot whether there is a complaint about the whole lot or only one item in it. The entire lot must be returned if a refund is to be made.
20) Persons placing bids are responsible for meeting the maximum amounts represented on their bid sheets. NASCA reserves the right to reject frivolous complaints and to take appropriate actions against such bidders under paragraphs 5 and 15 above.
21) All material in this catalog is guaranteed to be genuine unless otherwise described.
22) No lots may be returned by floor bidders except for non-authenticity.
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28) All bids are payable to NASCA in U.S. funds and remittances must cover the service charges for foreign drafts which shall be added to each invoice. No payments will be received by NASCA in the form of credit cards for auction sales, catalogs or any dues to NASCA.
29) The placing of a bid in this auction sale shall constitute full acceptance of the foregoing terms and conditions of sale.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

PLEASE NOTE: **There is a 10% buyer's charge in all NASCA public and mail bid auction sales. We call your attention to Item #1 in our Terms of Sale as listed in the auction catalogue.**

Please note: Only bids in equal increments of $1 will be accepted.

The Clinton Collection

October 28, 29, 30, 31, 1985

INSERT NAME AND ADDRESS

Cash Enclosed
Deposit on Sale _____.
Prices Realized @ $1.00 _____

NOTE: All new bidders must submit a deposit of 25% of their bids or satisfactory Numismatic credit references.

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No. _____
Dp. _____

24 Broadway
New York, N.Y. 10004

Gentlemen:
I do hereby authorize NASCA to execute the following listed bids at their auction sale, and agree to the terms and conditions governing sale, as stated in the catalogue. I also agree to remit promptly upon receipt of invoice or notification that bids are successful. I fully understand that this signed bid sheet constitutes an agreement between myself and NASCA, Division of R.M. Smythe & Co., Inc.

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☐ Own Your Own Home ☐ Rent Apartment # _____

Home Telephone # (_____) _____
area code

Name of your Company _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone # _____ Ext. # _____

Position _____ Years there _____

BANK INFORMATION

Bank Name _____ Branch _____

Bank Address _____

☐ Regular Checking ☐ Special Checking

☐ Savings Acct. Account # _____

NUMISMATIC REFERENCES

1. _____ ☐ Previous NASCA Bidder

2. _____

3. _____

I have read terms of sale and agree to abide by same.

NAME _____
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SIGNED _____
please sign

IF NECESSARY, PLEASE INCREASE MY BIDS BY:
☐ 10% ☐ 20% ☐ 30% TO OBTAIN THE LOTS I DESIRE
Lots will be purchased as much below bids as possible.

(Please Turn Over)

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Lot #	Bid—$		Lot #	Bid—$		Lot #	Bid—$		Lot #	Bid—$		Lot #	Bid—$	

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A WORD ABOUT OUR ESTIMATES

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There are no reserves or minimum bids unless so indicated by an asterisk (*) in front of the estimate.

SCHEDULE OF AUCTION SESSIONS

PUBLIC SESSION I.
Monday, October 28, 1985 — 7 P.M.
Confederate Notes and Bonds, Obsolete Currency Part I

Lots 1 - 896

PUBLIC SESSION II.
Tuesday, October 29, 1985. 7 P.M.
Obsolete Currency Part II, Advertising Bills, Obsolete Sheets, Lottery Tickets, Postal Items, Political Items, Vignettes, Die Proofs, Souvenir Sheets

Lots 2000 - 2637

PUBLIC SESSION III.
Wednesday, October 30, 1985 — 7 P.M.
Stocks, Bonds, and Autographs

Lots 3001 - 3448

PUBLIC SESSION IV.
Thursday, October 31, 1985 — 7 P.M.
Colonial and Continental Currency, Federal Paper Money, U.S. Coins

Lots 4001 - 6438

MAIL BID ONLY. Closes Friday, November 1 — 5 P.M.
Checks, Billheads, Receipts, Fiscal Paper, Numismatic Literature, Vignettes, Political, Confederate, Federal Paper, Obsolete Paper, Advertising Notes, Obsolete Sheets, Coins.

Lots 7001 - 8782

ABBREVIATIONS USED IN THIS CATALOGUE

STATES:

AL —Alabama
AK —Alaska
AR —Arizona
AK —Arkansas
CA —California
CO —Colorado
CT —Connecticut
DE —Delaware
FL —Florida
GA —Georgia
HI —Hawaii
ID —Idaho
IL —Illinois
IN —Indiana
IA —Iowa
KS —Kansas
KY —Kentucky
LA —Louisiana
ME —Maine
MD —Maryland
MA —Massachusetts
MI —Michigan
MN —Minnesota
MS —Mississippi
MO —Missouri
MT —Montana
NE —Nebraska
NV —Nevada
NH —New Hampshire
NJ —New Jersey
NM —New Mexico
NY —New York
NC —North Carolina
ND —North Dakota
OH —Ohio
OK —Oklahoma
OR —Oregon
PA —Pennsylvania
RI —Rhode Island
SC —South Carolina
SD —South Dakota
TN —Tennessee
TX —Texas
UT —Utah
VT —Vermont
VA —Virginia
WA —Washington
WV —West Virginia
WI —Wisconsin
WY —Wyoming

COLORS:

bk— Black
bl— Blue
br— Brown
go— Gold
ma— Maroon
gy— Grey
or— Orange
ol— Olive
gr— Green
pi— Pink
ye— Yellow
li— Lilac
pr— Purple
rd— Red

LANGUAGES:

Ar— Arabic
Ch— Chinese
Cy— Cyrilic
Du— Dutch
En— English
Fr— French
Gr— German
He— Hebrew
It— Italian
Ja— Japanese
Sp— Spanish
Ru— Russian
Tu— Turkish

CODES

Cb	Coupons, bound with the certificate
Cd	Certificate of Deposit
CC	Slash, bank hammer or spindle cancelled, with a cut in the paper, but no paper missing
COC	Cut out cancelled
Cs	Coupons, at the side
Cu	Coupons underneath
BE	Bill of Exchange
EBN	Embossed Revenue Stamp paper example
IR	Imprinted Revenue
POC	Punch hole cancelled
RN	Revenue Stamp Affixed
U	Unissued Certificate (all certificates are issued common stock unless specified
VIG	Vignettes
+	Philatelic interest, but if there is no description, early adhesive revenue or later N.Y. State or Federal issues
*	Preceding the low figure of the estimate indicates the consignor's reserve
†	Offered for R.M. Smythe & Co., Inc.

PRINTER ABBREVIATIONS

American Bank Note Co.	ABN
Bald, Adams & Co.	BA
Bald, Cousland & Co.	BC
Baldwin, Adams & Co.	BWA
Baldwin, Bald & Cousland	BBC
Bradbury, Wilkinson & Co.	BW
Danforth, Bald & Co.	DB
Danforth & Hufty	DH
Danforth, Perkins & Co.	DP
Danforth, Spencer & Hufty	DSH
Danforth, Underwood & Co.	DU
Danforth, Underwood, Bald & Hufty	DUBS
Danforth, Wright & Co.	DW
Draper & Co.	DC
Draper, Toppan & Co.	DT
Draper, Toppan, Longacre & Co.	DTL
Draper, Welsh & Co.	DWC
A.B. & C. Durand	ABD
A.B. & C. Durand, Wright & Co.	ADW
Fairman, Draper & Underwood	FDU
Franklin Bank Note Co.	FBN
Franklin Lee Bank Note Co.	FLB
Homer Lee Banknote	HLB
Hoyer & Ludwig	HL
Hufty & Danforth	HD
International Banknote Co.	IBC
Jocelyn, Draper, Welsh & Co.	JDW
Keatinge & Ball	KB
Lenny & Rollinson	LR
John A. Lowell Banknote	JAL
Peter Maverick	PM
Murray, Draper, Fairman & Co.	MDF
National Banknote Co.	NBN
New England Banknote Co.	NEB
New York Banknote Co.	NYB
W.L. Ormsby	WLO
Terry Pelton & Co.	TPC
Rawdon, Balch & Co.	RB
Rawdon, Clark & Co.	RC
Rawdon, Wright & Co.	RW
Rawdon, Wright & Hatch	RWH
Rawdon, Wright, Hatch & Edson	RWHE
Abner Reed	AR
Republic Bank Note Co.	RBN
Security Bank Note Co.	SBN
Security Columbian Banknote	SCB
Charles Toppan & Co.	CT
Toppan & Co.	TP
Toppan, Carpenter & Co.	TC
Toppan, Carpenter, Casilear & Co.	TCC
Toppan, Longacre & Co.	TL
Underwood, Bald & Spencer	UBS
Underwood, Bald, Spencer & Hufty	UBSH
Union Bank Note Co.	UBN
Walker, Evans & Cogswell	WECO
Waterlow & Sons	WS
Wellstood, Benson & Hanks	WBH
Wellstood, Hanks, Hay & Whiting	WHHW
Wellstood, Hay & Whiting	WHW
Weston Banknote Company	WBN
Woodruff and Hammond	WH
E.A. Wright & Co.	EAW

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PUBLIC AND MAIL BID AUCTION

SESSION III

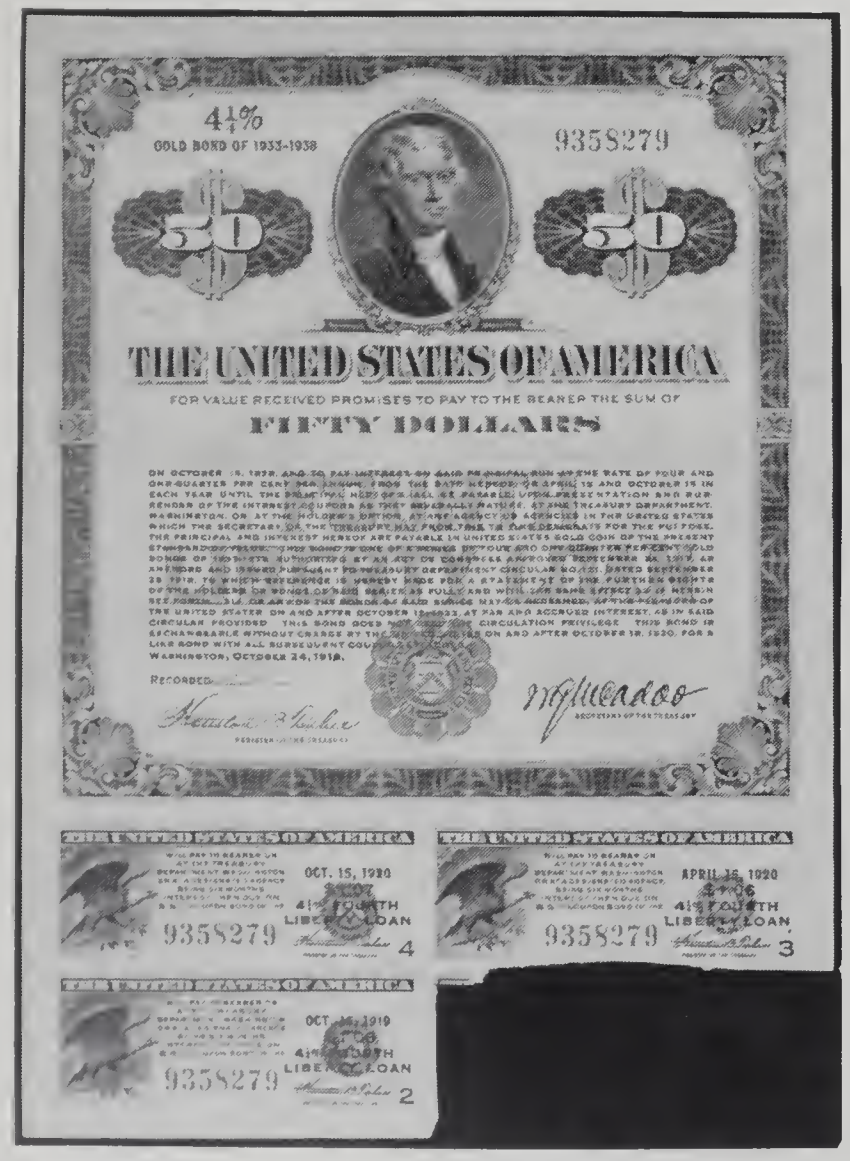
LOTS 3001 - 3448

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1985

7:00 P.M. SHARP

THE ESSEX HOUSE
160 CENTRAL PARK SOUTH, N.Y.C.
BETWEEN 6th & 7th AVENUES

STOCK & BOND CERTIFICATES, CHECKS, AUTOGRAPHS, & ASSOCIATED FINANCIAL ITEMS

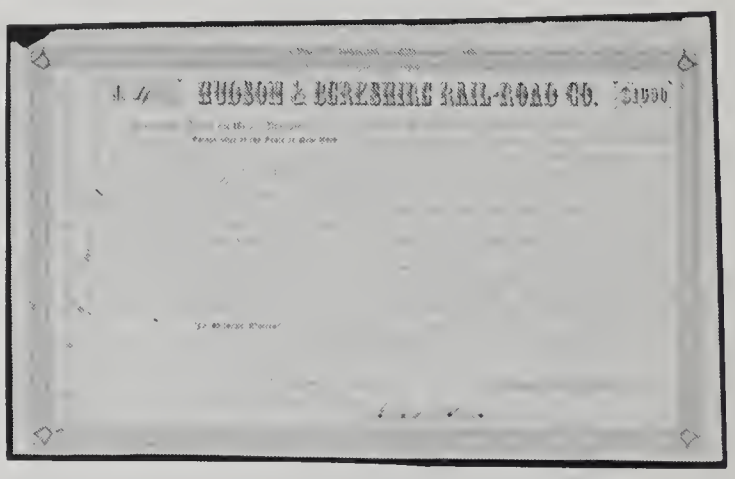


3001 **Fourth Liberty Loan.** U.S. Govt. **$50.** 1918, with three coupons. **VF-EF. (Photo)** **($100-150)**

3002 **Myrtle Ave. & Jamaica Plank Road Co. (NY)** 1853. **20 shs.** Unusual early example, established under the General Road Law. Tear at lower left, not complete. **Fine.** **($65-90)**

3003 **Charleston & Savannah R.R.** (SC) 1856. **$500.** **($200-300)**

500. Cu, Walker, Evans & Co, printers of CSA bonds and a firm still in business in Charleston. Eight bonds varying condition, 3 split at folds, 3 with dampstains, 2 very nice. A fine piece, and a presentable lot. **Fine-VF.**



3004 **Hudson & Berkshire Rail Road (NY).** 1848. **(Photo)** **($800-1200)**

$1,000 bond, Cu; plainly printed, but signed as President by Jeremiah Van Rensselaer and as Comptroller of New York State by Millard Fillmore, later 13th President of the U.S. He entertained Jenny Lind, the Swedish nightingale, at the White House. Four small cancellation holes, as usual, in the **Fillmore** signature; small piece of upper left corner margin missing, a fresh, clean copy. **EF.**

3005 **Cleveland, Painesville & Ashtabula R.R. (OH).** 1850. **($100-150)**

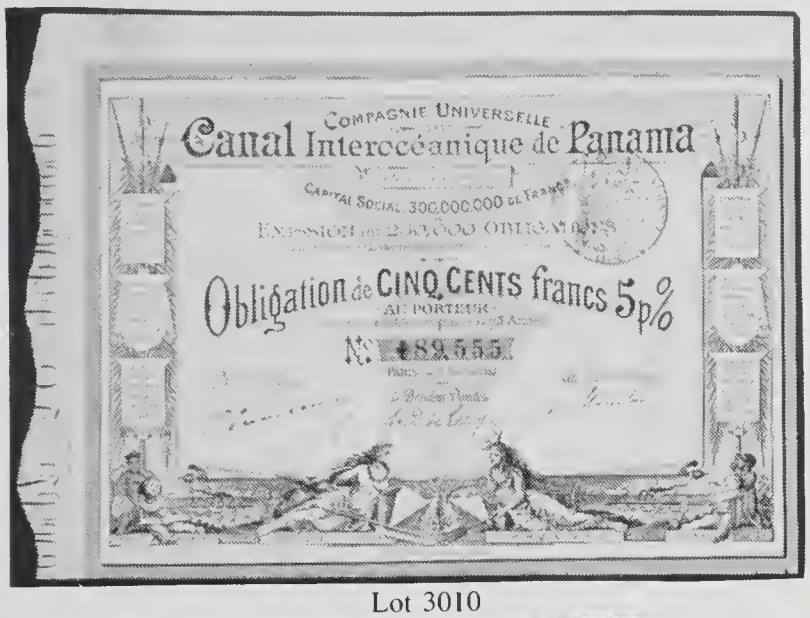
$1,000 bond, Cu, with a yellow paper seal, hammer cancellations, and signed by Geo. S. Coe, a banker; he was with Prime Ward & King, later with the American Exchange Bank, and was a direct descendant of John ("speak for yourself") Priscilla Alden. **VF-EF.**

3006 **Placers Hydraxliques de Junction City (France)** 1894, Trinity County, Cal. Founders'shares; [] Madrid, loan for 100 Francs, 1868. **VF** (2). **($40-60)**

3007 **Washington Fire Co. Stock Assoc. (NY).** 1861. 1 share, gr. An unusal issued example although date entry seems questionable; few fire related items are available. [] **New York Opera Glass Supply Co. (NJ).** 1893, 82 shs. [] **Allentown & Bethlehem Turnpike Co. (PA).** 1900. 80 shrs, and late for a turnpike. **VF-EF. 3 Pcs.** **($65-100)**

3008 **Cairo Rail Road Co. (NY).** 1885. 5 shs. Fine Catskill Mountain view, certificate No. 23. **VF** **($50-70)**

3009 **Chinese Government Reorganization Loan of 1913. 189.40 Rubles,** Cb, K302.DP, CA 126g. The very rare "Duplicate" issue. The first example to appear here, and condition is **EF.** **($350-700)**



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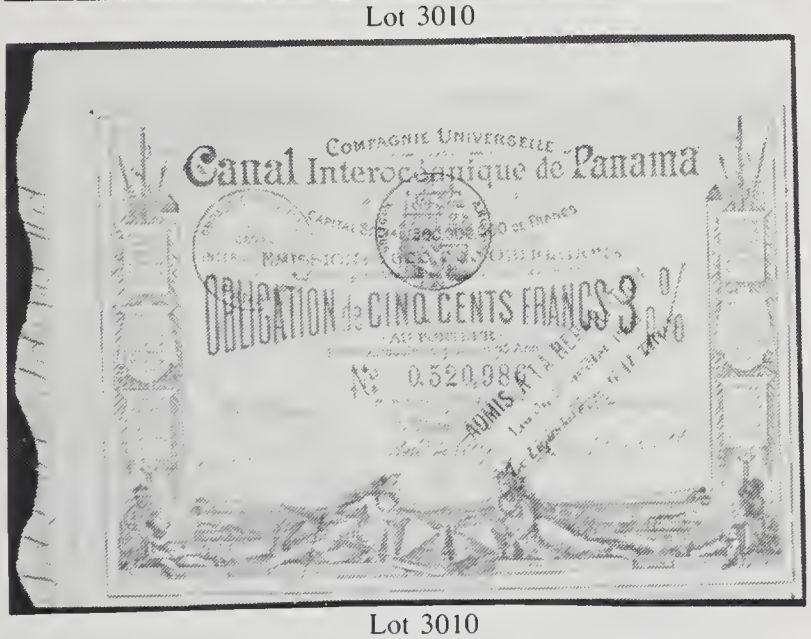

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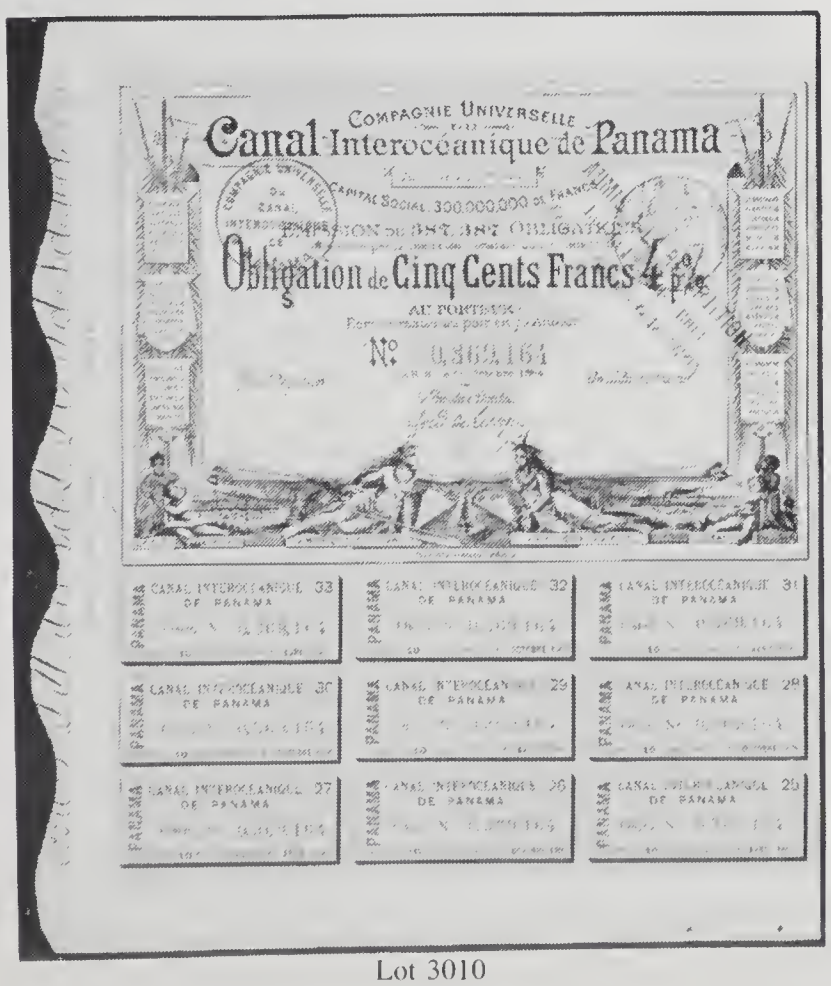


Lot 3010

3010 + **Panama Canal Lot.** Seven different issues, including the provisional and the rare black, green and red obligations of 1883 and 1884. A fine group, with a caricature of DeLesseps from a contemporary series. **(Photo) 8 Pcs. EF.** ***($225-300)**

3011 **La Suerte, Spain.** 1855. A mining company, ornate border of mining scenes and flowers. **EF.** ***($50-90)**

3012 **Montana Pioneer: Granville Stuart.** 1834-1918, was among the first to discover gold in Montana. He married a Shoshone girl, had nine children, was a leading citizen of Montana. He signs on the verso of Parrot Silver & Copper Co., 1907, the only Parrot certificate thus registered. **EF.** **($65-100)**

3013 **International Mercantile Marine.** 1909, 10 shs, brown and registered to J. Bruce Ismay, President and also Chairman of the White Star Line. Ismay sailed with his family aboard the Titanic on its maiden voyage, and survived, thus placing himself at the center of a storm of controversy afterwards since the lifeboat he sailed in was only half filled! He has signed a stock power attached to the certificate. **EF.** **($75-100)**

3014 **International Mercantile Marine (NJ).** 1909. ***($75-100)**

As last lot, but registered to Peter A.B. Widener, streetcar magnate and founder of the Widener Art Collection. Signed on the verso. **EF.**

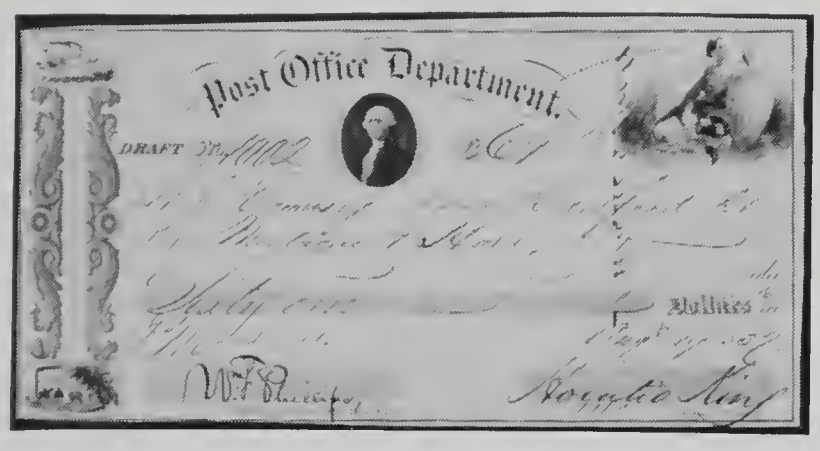
3015 + **Joseph Dixon Crucible Co. (NJ).** 1868. **($70-100)**

500 shs, plain certificate, but registered to Joseph Dixon, and signed by him on verso. Dixon was a very unusual man, talented in many areas. He was a printer, wood engraver and lithographer. He studied medicinal chemistry and was a pioneer in photography. He experimented with portraits photography after Daguerre in 1839, and is credited with the use of a reflector, so the image would not appear reversed. Finally, after many other noble achievements, he invented the graphite crucible and located his business in Jersey City in 1847. It grew into a well known firm making pencils, the largest of its kind in the world. This is the only certificate of the company known signed by Dixon. Some staining, wear. **VF.**

3016 **Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.** 1872. **($70-90)**
$270 claim certificate for Civil War damages, nicely lithographed by American Bank Note and signed as Governor by John W. Geary. He was also the first Mayor of San Francisco, in 1850, territorial governor of Kansas, later as General, commanded at Gettysburg. His administration as Governor was marked by reduction of state debt and the timely preservation of several millions of dollars mysteriously leaving state treasury. **EF.**

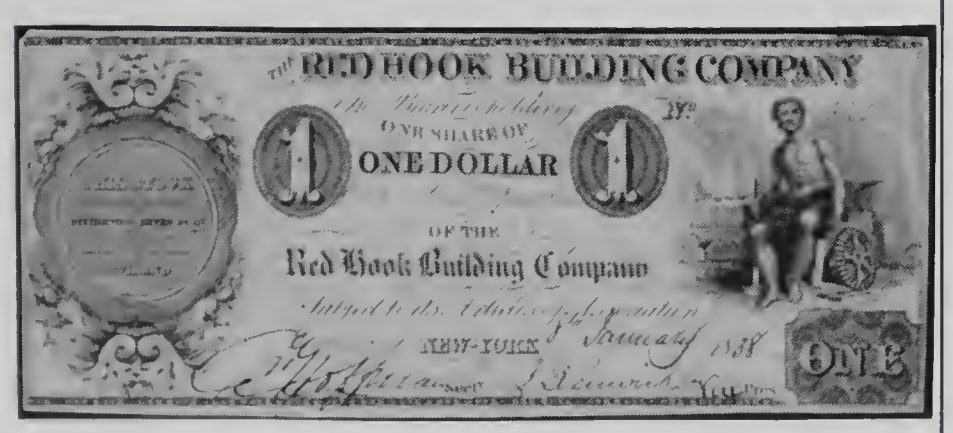
3017 **U.S. Government, $100 Series E, War Bond.** Cancelled with rubber stamp and hole. A Bureau engraving, with vignette of Grover Cleveland, relatively rare. **VF-EF.** **($30-45)**

3018 **Adams & Co. (NY).** Express company draft, 1854, vignette of train. Some chinks in top margin, **Abt VF.** **($30-40)**



3019 **Post Office Department.** Draft, 1857. Beautifully engraved by Hufty & Danforth, with Washington and signed by Horatio King, PMG under Buchanan. **VF. (Photo)** **($45-65)**

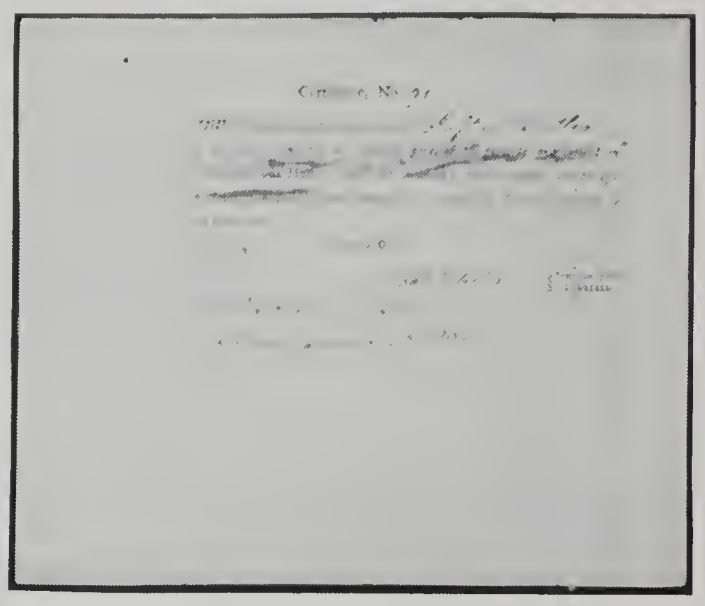
3020 **Max Mehl, Numismatist.** A check signed by Mehl in 1929. A well known personality in the numismatic field, super promoter, and owner of what he said was the largest rare coin firm in the U.S. Perforation cancels affect only the first letter of the signature. **VF.** **($25-40)**



3021 **Red Hook Buiding Co. (NY). (Photo)** ***($50-75)**
1838. 1 sh, small size certificate, handsomely engraved by Burton & Greeley, and signed by J(ames) Renivick as V.P. Renivick? was an engineer and architect, graduate of Columbia 1836. His principal works were St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York, the Smithsonian Institution, Vassar College and the Corcoran Gallery, Washington. **EF-Unc.**

3022 **Lincoln's Campaign Manager: N.B. Judd,** signs as President on the Peoria and Bureau Vally R.R., 1858. Judd organized the Lincoln Douglas debates and went on to manage the future president's campaign. No staining, 3 small holes affect signature. **VF.** **($70-110)**

3023 **International R.R. Company (TX).** 1874. **$1000** bond, Cu. Re, bk. Petty soiling, edge tears. **($75-100)**



3024 **Union School House, New Haven.** 1802, 1 share. Plainly printed but signed by the dictionary writer and Chairman of the Trustees, Noah Webster. The first piece we have seen signed by him. Some ink stains, but otherwise **EF. (Photo)** **($125-175)**

3025 **The Irish Republic.** 186. **$100** bond. **(Photo)** **($80-100)**
Unissued, but very attractively engraved in green and red, with wide borders, slight damp staining and stub attached. The three vignettes include Wolfe and Davis.

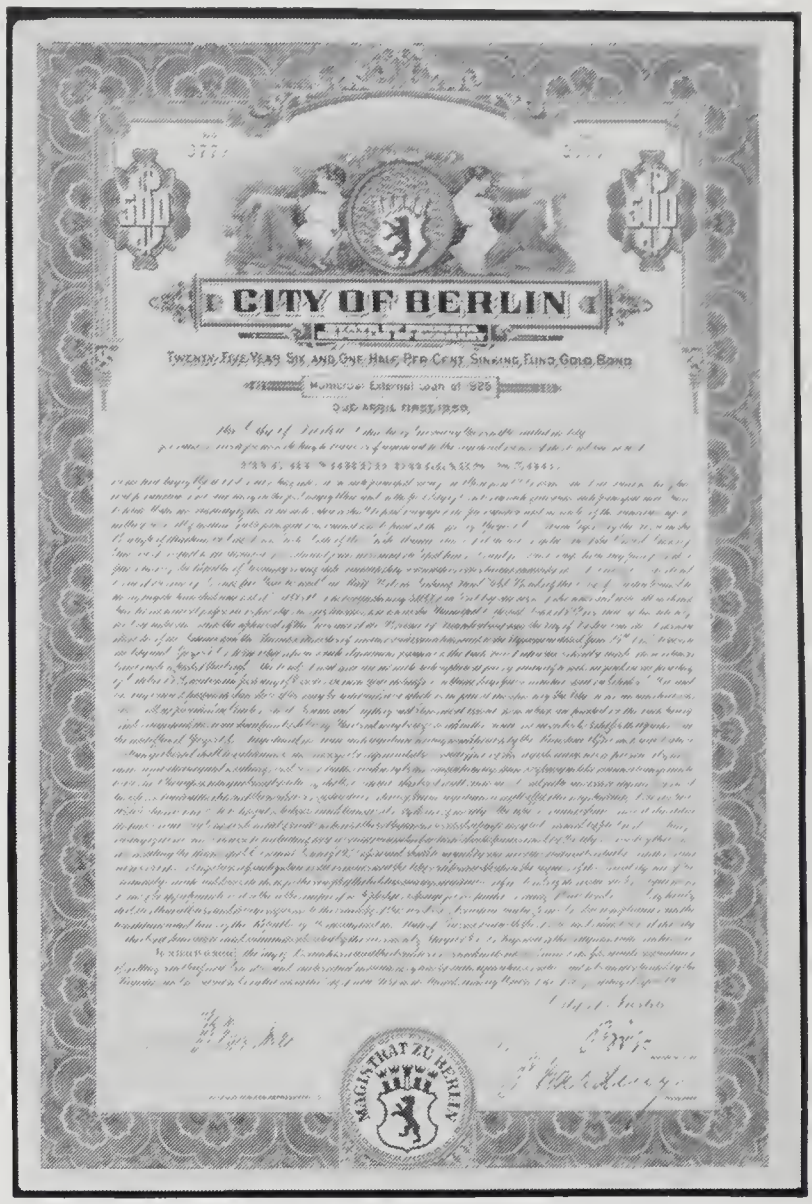
Please note that a 10% buyers charge will be added to each lot purchased on all purchases.

3026 **Philadelphia Centennial Exhibition. (Photo)** **($90-140)**

Very decoratively multi-colored woven souvenir piece, in very beautiful condition. An eagle, George Washington, the Exhibition Hall and industrial scenes. The work of J.B. Champromy, A. Larcher. Unusual and ornate. A few minor stains, but bright and colorful. **VF-EF.**

3027 **Ringling Bros., Barnum & Bailey (DE).** 1970, ABN. The rare and highly sought blue certificate, for larger holdings. It is No. 86, unissued, and marked "specimen", confirming the small number issued. **Unc.** **($250-450)**

3028 **State of Louisiana** 1880. **$1,000** bond, certificate No.5 and not well known. Plainly printed in black and deep rose, gold paper seal; hammer cancel. **VF.** **($45-60)**



3029 **City of Berlin.** 1925. **$500** bond, Cs. This variety is the first we have seen, and believed to be a rarity. An American Bank Note piece, the city seal appears at top and bottom. **EF. (Photo)** **($70-100)**

3030 **Claridges Hotels, Paris.** ***($75-110)**

1921. Share in blue, yellow and orange with steamship and train. [] **Citroen, Paris.** Motor cars on border and facsimile signature of Andre Citroen. [] **Mines de Notre Dame de Vavls, France,** coal mining. [] **Casino de Chamonix - Mont Blanc,** casino view with mountains. **VF-EF.**

3031 **La Hispano Suiza, Spain.** **($70-100)**

1915. The high fashion auto maker in Barcelona, whose cars were seen in all the best places - for a time. With a high fashion lady, auto in background. Sixth emission. [] **Another,** seventh emission. **EF** (2).

3032 **Poyaisian 3% Per Cent Stock.** **($125-180)**

1827. The great dream and swindle of con-man Gregor MacGregor, who invented this kingdom and its finances. MacGregor, self appointed Cacique of the Republic of Poyais, authorized issue of this certificate for the Poyaisian Office, 23 Threadneedle Street, London. Printed in black and rose, it is an outstanding item. **VF.**

3033 **Cinematographers Eclipse: France.** **($70-100)**

1908, **100 Franc** Bearer share. Beautifully decorated with movie scenes of Tower Bridge, the Ile de la Cite, waterfalls, the sphinx, a beautiful lady and aboriginal village. Something for everyone. **EF.**

3034 **Danzig International Bank.** 1924. 25 Guilder share certificates. Plain, in German. Brown and faint yellow. Danzig material is still scarce. **F-VF.** **($40-70)**

3035 **Traveller's Checks. - Fine Group.** **($150-Up)**

Traveller's checks, Letters of Credit and signature and other circulars, mostly from the United States and Britain, but also Canada, Australia, Germany, Italy, Japan, Scotland, France, Ulster and the Netherlands, in many currencies. Approximately 150 Travellers Checks, 31 Letters of Credit (all specimens), 100 circulars relating to signatures, etc. and 50 pictures of Traveller's Checks, Money Orders, etc. Over **300 Pcs., Abt. VF.**

3036 **Wells Fargo & Co. Travellers Checks.** Circa 1914. **$10.** Unissued check. ABN, with Indian in feather headdress and values in other currencies on the face: Pounds 2, Lirc 51, Rubles 19!. **Unc.** **($20-35)**

3037 **Consolidated Hidden Treasure Co. (CA).** 1874. 1 share, printed, with sailing ship and other vignettes. Unassessable and fine. **EF-Unc.** **($125-175)**

3038 **Pabst Brewing Co. (WI).** 1909. 218 Shares made out to Fred Pabst, who signs on verso, and signed as President by Gustave Pabst. With a view of the brewery. One hole affects Gustave's signature slightly. **EF.** **($100-150)**

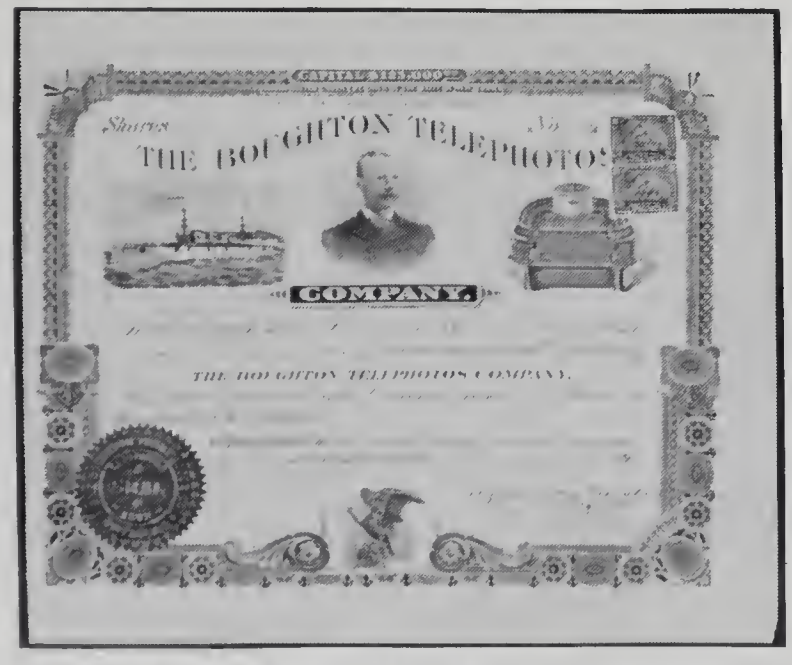
3039 **The Three Stooges.** Check signed by Moe Howard, who died in 1975. Brothers Larry, Curly and Shemp were also part of this nationally famous movie comedy team at different times. Made out to himself and endorsed on back. **EF.** **($75-100)**

3040 **Boynton Bicycle Ry Co. (WV).** 1891. 5 shares. Odd looking vignette, and surprising subject. With gold seal, a great display piece, signed by President Boynton and **Rare**. **EF.** **($60-90)**

3041 **Jefferson County (MT Terr.).** 1867. **$1000** bond, green, red, blue seal, with one coupon attached. Early and desirable. **VF.** **($80-110)**

3042 **Harriman, E.H.** Railroad magnate and Wall Street figure, as registered owner of Cedar Falls & Minnesota R.R., 1896. He has endorsed the certificate on the back, a beautiful example with no cancellations of any kind. **EF.** **($400-500)**

3043 **Baltimore & Ohio R.R.** 1892. 100 shs, registered to **Russell Sage,** and signed by him on the back, a clear and dark signature. Sage was the inventor of put & call options as we know them today. Always a source of ready cash in Wall Street, and a very successful figure. **VF-EF.** **($450-600)**



3044 **Boughton Telephotos Co. (NY)** 1900 10 shs. Another unusual enterprise, with vignettes of an early typewriter device and what appears to be a destroyer on the seas. The device was used to light distant lamps or to relay light signals. A gold seal, a vignette of the founder complete the scheme! With five other related documents. (6). **EF. (Photo)** **($50-75)**

3045 **Law Association of Philadelphia.** 1842 One share, "transferred only to a person approved of by the Association". Certificate No. 7, handsome litho with State seal and Lady Justice. **EF.** **($125-175)**

3046 **Lumber Lot. []North American Lumber Co.** 1828, **30 shares,** by Draper, Toppan, Longacre & Co., handsome. **[] Williamsport & Philadelphia Lumber Co.** 1839, 10 shs with vignettes of ships, and lumber processing machines. **[] Susquehanna Steam Lumber & Lath Mills.** 1867, **$500** bond, outstanding with forest scene, lath machine, and map. Three fine pieces (3). **VF-EF.** **($175-250)**

3047 **Oneida Gold Mining (CA).** 1900, 10 shs, with dividend warrants attached, an unusual form. Miners digging gold. **EF.** **($60-Up)**

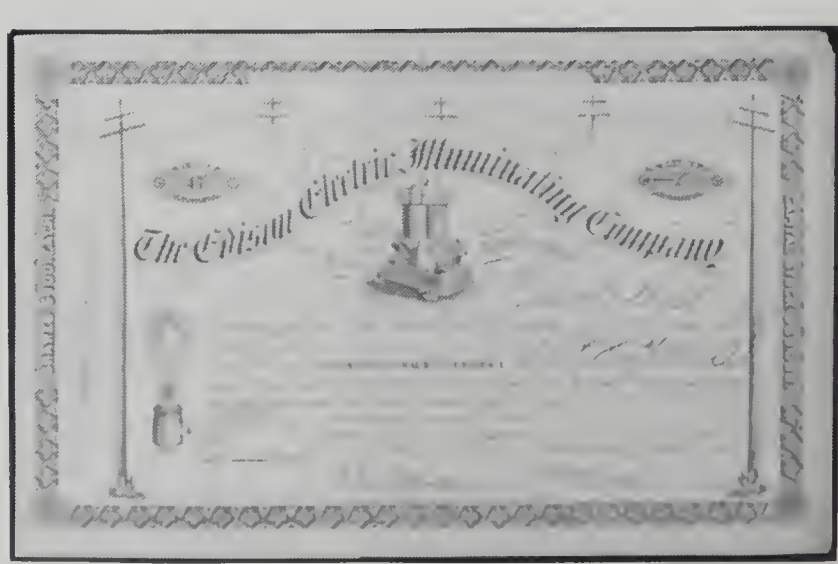
3048 **Sportsmen. [] Riding and Driving Clubs of Brooklyn.** 1903 Membership Certificate. Underprinted vignette of Academy of Music, coaches, and horse drawn rail cars. **[] Providence Bowling Club.** 1847, 1 share, plain, but early. **2 Pcs. VF-EF.** **($50-80)**

3049 **Republic of Texas.** 1841. **$100** bond. A plate. Richly engraved by Southern Banknote Co., signed by Charles DeMorse. A piece missing at right from cancellation, does not affect overall piece. **VF.** **($90-130)**

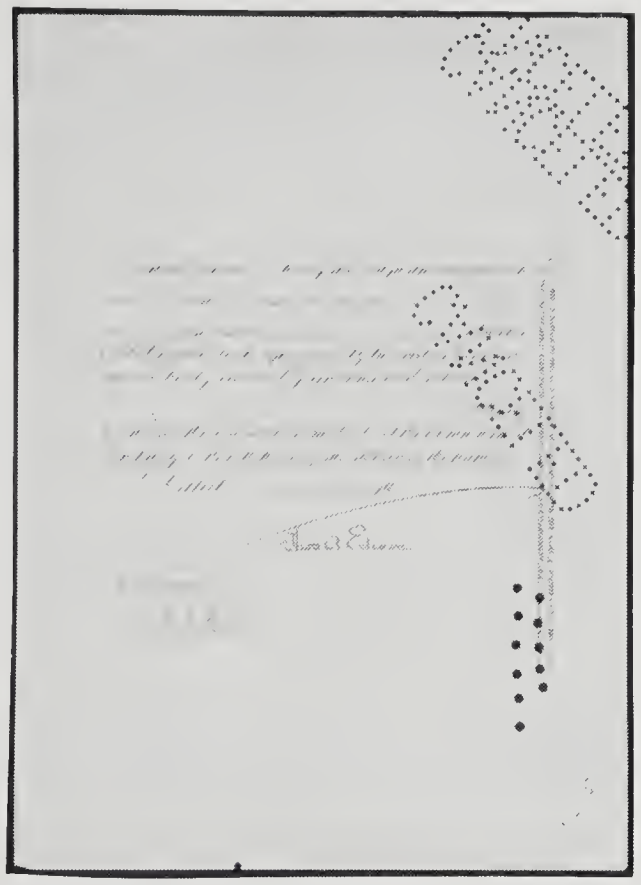
3050 — 1840. **$500** bond, B plate, showing more wear, with a few chinks missing. **F.** **($75-95)**

3051 **Cia del Ferrocarril del Este, Venezuela.** 1860. **$1,000** bond. In English and Spanish, blue paper, with woodburner train. **VF.** **($60-80)**

3052 **Rio de Janiero, Brazil** 1909 **£20** gold bond. "This bond does not appear among the outstanding issues under Decree Law 6019, 1943. No part of the issue is believed outstanding, and funds are no longer available, and therefore the bond is no longer an obligation of the Brazilian Government." This information from the London Paying Agent. A desirable collector's item. **VF.** **($75-100)**



3053 **Edison Electric Illuminating Co. (NJ).** 1886. One share. As expected, with telegraph poles, a generator and an early light bulb. Handsome in blue, but, alas, no signature of Edison. **VF. (Photo)** **($70-100)**



3054 **Edison Storage Battery Co. (NJ).** 1913. 500 shs. Familiar green and black certificate. Made out to Thomas A. Edison, signed by him on the verso with a splendid example of the umbrella signature and again on the face, as president, but with five cancellation holes. **VF-EF. (Photo)** **($900-1200)**

3055 **A Group of Iron Company Securities. [] Nes Silicon Steel Co. (NY).** 1874. 2000 shs. The firm had a plant in Cleveland that issued notes at this time. **[] Missouri Iron Company. (MO).** 1840. 200 shs. Fine Iron Works vignette, blue seal, NEB. Registered to Joseph Duncan (1794-1844), Commander in the Blackhawk War (1831), U.S. Congressman (1827-34), Governor of Illinois (1837-8). **[] Standard Vapor Fuel Iron Steel Co. (NY).** 1884. **$500** bond Cu, gr, bk, punched, fold split. **VF-EF. 3 Pcs.** **($100-140)**

3056 **Book. Valuable Extinct Securities. . . .** 1929. The last book compiled and published by Roland M. Smythe. 398 pages. Lists the fates of thousands of firms. **New.** **($45-65)**

3057 **Book. The Story of Bowne & Company.** by Edmund Stanley. 1952. NY. 52 pages. History of Manhattan's oldest firm - a stationery concern eastablished in 1775, by a Quaker whose family had been connected with New York City since 1661 and now a prominent financial printing firm. Light wear, No dust jacket. **VG.** **($35-45)**

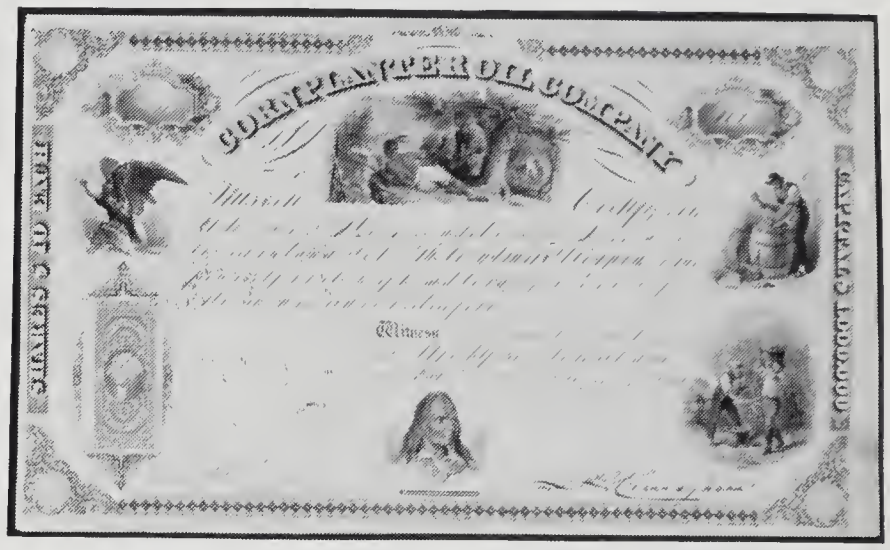
3058 **Book. The New York Stock Exchange.** Edited by Edmund C. Stedman. Vol. I. New York, 1905. 518 pages. Exchange history in New York up to the 1880's, with essays by John R. Dos Passos **et al.** Illustrated, water stained. A rare book. **Excellent.** **($150-225)**

3059 **Book. One Hundred Years of American Commerce.** 1895. Deluxe edition for railroad presidents; marble end papers, partial red morocco leather. Heavy, 678 pages, digests of one hundred American businesses, each with a photo of the author. A number of known names, including Chauncey M. Depew, the Editor, who autographed this copy, Number 162 of 1,000 printed. Also signed by D.O. Haynes, the Publisher, whose ideas are largely responsible for the evolution of the modern drugstore. The edges are scuffed and show wear, the corners are rounded, A choice specimen of this **Rare** work brought $450 in our 5th Sale. This still attractive volumes well worth having. ***($150-300)**

3060 + **The McClintockville Petroleum Co. (PA).** 1864. 200 shs. River scene, corporate premises. Pcn cancelled. **VF.** **($90-140)**

3061 **Texas Spindletop Companies. [] Missouri, Kansas & Texas Oil Co.** 1902. **50 shs. [] Independence Oil Co.** 1902. **1000 shs.** Oil scene vignettes and gold seals. **VF-EF. 2 Pcs.** **($40-50)**

3062 + **Early Oil Company Group. [] New York & Chicago Petroleum Company. (NY).** 1866. **100 shs.** Re, pctroleum scene, Columbia, etc. Signed as President by Charles H. Green (1837-1908), businessman, promoter, inventor. **[] Forest County Oil Company. (NY).** 1863. **200 shs.** Oil scenes. Re, bk, ink stained. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($200-250)**

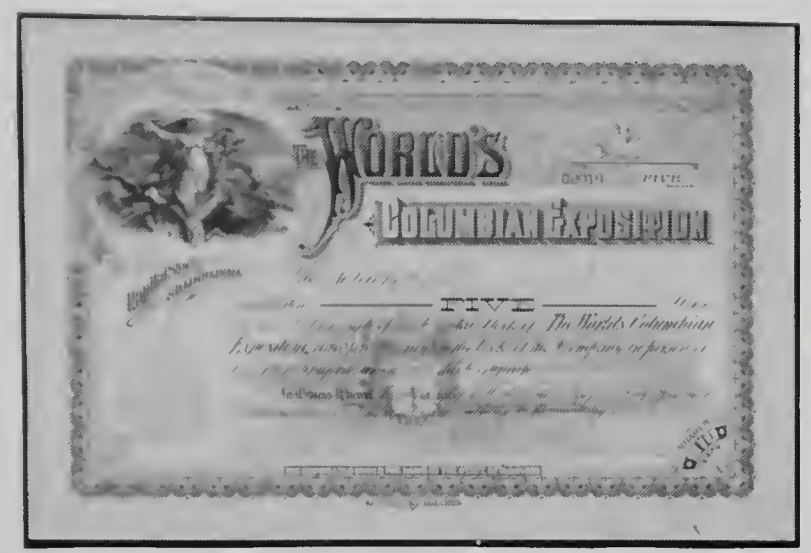


3063 + **Oils by ABN. [] Phoenix Oil Co. 350 shs. [] Corn Planter Oil Co. 100 shs. [] Tarr Homestead Oil Co. 100 shs. [] Pennsylvania Petroleum Co. 33 shs.** All are Pennsylvania issues of 1864, with lovely vignettes, and with adhesive revenues of the period. **VF. 4 Pcs. (Photo)** **($400-500)**

3064 + **Kentucky Oil Company Lot. [] Southern Kentucky Coal, Mining & Transportation Co.** 1865. 10 shs. River scene. **[] Glascow Petroleum Co.** 1866. 25 shs. **[] Cosmopolitan Oil Mining Company.** 1866. 50 shs. All with oil scenes. **VF. 3 Pcs.** **($250-325)**

3065 **North American Land Company. (PA).** 1795. 5 shs. Copper engraved. Registered to William Temple Franklin, illegitimate and ne'er do well son of William Franklin (1731-1813), Colonial Governor of NJ (1762-76), Tory, who in turn was an assistant to and illegitimate son of Benjamin Franklin (1706-90), printer, scientist and statesman. Signed as usual by **Robert Morris,** signer of the Declaration of Independence, Superintendent of Finance, statesman and land speculator. Chinked edges, aging, and a couple of pinholes. **EF-Unc.** **($400-500)**

3066 **New York Progress Binding Machine Co. (NY).** 1886. 5 shs. Striking vignette in deep blue, with a lady operator. Very unusual. **VF. (Photo)** **($60-90)**



3067 **World's Columbian Exposition. (IL).** 1892. 5 shs. WBN. Liberty radiantly haloed, followed by a golden eagle. Artist signature, W. Sinclair, in vignettes, thus unusual. Underprinted aerial view of the Fair Grounds. Handsome and rare. Light soiling. **VF. (Photo)** **($175-250)**

3068 **United States.** 1867. **$1000** J-20 Bond of 1865, 1867, 1868 consolidated with coupons for the $100, $500, $1000 and $50 bonds. Ex plate 19 from the **American Bond Detector** (see Lot #7519). Wear, damaged around the edges. Beautiful vignettes. **Fine.** **($50-Up)**

3069 **United States.** 1864. **$5000.** Regd bond. Ex plate 11, from the **American Bond Detector.** Four vignettes. Torn, stained, pinholes. **Fine.** **($80-100)**

3070 **United States. $10,000 Denomination.** Green. Tears, creasing, soiling, but still dignified and desireable, and not often seen. **Fine.** **($50-75)**

"Beast" Butler Item

3071 **Georgia-Alabama Investment and Development Co. (AL).** 1891. 4 shs. GA state arms and signed by Benjamin Butler (1818-1893), General in the Civil War. "Beast" Butler in New Orleans from his proclamation threatening to treat "as a woman of the town plying her profession" any secessionist female who insulted any Federal soldier. Congressman for Congresses, Attorney General, Governor of MA (1882-4), unsuccessful Greenback Party Presidential candidate (1884). Butler's commercial interests, of which this firm was only one, resulted in the destruction of Jesse James' gang in 1881 when they sought to ruin a bank in which Butler had an interest (First NB of Northfield, MN, Charter Number 2073). Br, bk. **VF.** **($125-200)**

3072 **World War 1. French Poster Issued by the Credit Lyonnais for French Citizens** to buy the Third French Loan. Re, bl, br, Litho by Devambez, Paris. Soldier with flag inscribed "Liberte" leaning on a huge globe. Split, backed, otherwise **VF.** **($40-70)**

Very Rare British Loan

3073 **£5 Per Cent War Stock. (UK).** 1929-1977. **£250.** On Bank of England (Portal's) paper. Name changed on owner's marriage. Endorsed by a registration clerk in 1918. While reported to have been paid off, we can **not** see any cancellation mark. Pin holes at top left. Few of these remain, and we believe them to be quite rare. **VF.** **($200-250)**

3074 **French Indo-China Share Certificates.** 1920-1935. [] **Les Heveas de Cochine.** 1925. 1 share. Br, bl, bk. [] **Societe de Verreries D'Indochine.** 1923. Bl, re. [] **Societe de Charbonnages de Ninh-Sinh.** 1926. 1 share. (2) Gy, or. [] **Same, Part de Fondateur.** 1926. Pu, bk. [] **Compagnie Agricole d'Annam.** 1926. Part Beneficiare au Porteur. 1926. Re, bl. [] **Same, 1 sh.** Bl, gr. [] **Societe des Cho Don.** 1925. 1 share. Gy, or. [] **Same, Part Beneficiare au Porteur.** Re, or. [] **Credit Mobilier Indochinois Part Beneficiare au Porteur.** 1930. Br. Edge tears, body splits. [] **Societe de Cultures et Bananeraies du Kin-San.** 1930. Rc, or, bk, gr. [] **Societe des Mines D'or de Bao-Lac.** 1926. **1 share.** Bl, ye. [] **Societe des Tramways du Tonkin.** 1929. **1 share.** Gr, bk. Indemnity stamps (9) paying 5.85 francs on a 100 franc investment from 1961 to 1969. **VF-EF. 14 Pcs.** **($150-300)**

3075 **Liverpool Cemetery Plot. (UK).** 1927. **£5.10.0** for a cemetery plot in a new burial ground authorized by an Act of Parliament. Noted as "closed" (used?). Picture of the chapel. Soiled, stained. **VF.** **($60-90)**

3076 **Staffordshire & Shropshire Junction Ry Company. (UK).** 1845. 10 shs. Bk. left indent. Soiling. **VF.** **($60-90)**

3077 **Sao Paulo Brazilian Railway Company, (Brazil).** 1860. **1 share.** Bk, Brazilian Imperial arms, WS. Paid stamp. Pinhole tear. **EF.** **($45-75)**

3078 **Bankers Order by Samuel Montagu & Co. (UK).** 1892. Signed by S. Montagu. Montagu & Co. is now a prominent private bank, bullion dealer and issuing house in London as well as a participant in the goldfixing at Rothchilds. **VF.** **($90-140)**

3079 **Gold Mining Group. [] Gold Mining Association of France. (UK).** 1889. 10 shs. Vermillion. **[]. Hub Gold Mining Co. (ME).** 1889. 1 share. Rc, bk, typeset. [] **Societe Hypothecaire Belge-Americaine. (Belgium).** 1944. 1 share. Pu. [] **Canadian Coal Consolidated. (UK).** 1910. Re, bk. **4 Pcs.** **($35-60)**

3080 **Louth Gas Company. (UK).** 1826-1845. Transfer of stock certificate forms. **EF. 4 Pcs.** **($30-45)**

3081 **Republic of Mexico.** 1859. 64 Pesos. CS. U. Br, bk. We do not know the reason for this excentric denomination, but it was issued during a period of political and financial chaos leading to foreign intervention in 1861. **VF.** **($30-40)**

3082 **Bern Durfer Krupp Metall-Werk. (Switzerland).** 1924. 10 shs. Gr, bk. Printed "Krupp" signature at right. This was a Kruppwerke subsidiary at Luzern, unusual as Krupp did not let outsiders buy shares, keeping the company a strictly family affair. The Krupp here is Baron Gustav Krupp Von Bolen und Halbach, who married "Big Bertha" Krupp, assumed her patrinomic and then ran the firm until 1943. With a cartoon in color of a Krupp figure. **VF. 2 Pcs.** ***($75-125)**

3083 **New-York, Providence, & Boston RR Co. (NY).** 1835. 100 shs. Br. RWH. Woman, cogwheel left: Liberty, ships, train, shields of original states, center. Earliest dated certificate we have seen. Stained, pen cancelled. **VF.** ***($85-110)**

3084 **Taunton Branch RR Corporation. (MA).** 1836. [] 10 shs. Typeset, corporate red wax seal mostly gone at the left, transferred on the back. [] **20 shs.** Payable to Samuel Dana (1798-1868), U.S. chemist and inventor, endorsed by him on the back. **2 Pcs. VF.** **($100-140)**

3085 **Marietta and North Georgia RR Company. (GA).** 1881. **$1000** Cs bond. ABN, train. Georgia seal. Defaulted in 1891. **VF**, with fold splits. **($40-50)**

3086 **Cleveland, Painesville & Ashtabula RR Company. (OH).** 1850. **$1000.** Cu bond. Wm W. Rose Litho. NY. Cut cancelled, petty body holes as of February 1853 coupon. Signed by Geo S. Coe, banker, with American Exchange Bank, and a descendant of John & Priscilla Alden. Stained, otherwise **VF.** **($100-150)**

3087 **Grand Junction RR and Depot Company. (MA).** 1853. **$1000** Cu bond. One of 450 issued. Morse & Tuttle Engrs. Defaulted 1856. **VF.** **($125-150)**

3088 **Cayuga Lake Electric Ry. (NY).** 1894. **$1000** regd bond. Gr, bk, steelograph by HLB. **[] Ithaca Street Ry. (NY).** 1892. **$1000** Regd bond. Go, bk, street car vignette. 68.597% payout stamp in 1931 on face, Two rare names. Massive cut outs of the left side on both. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($65-90)**

3089 **Union Pacific RR. (NE).** 1874. **$945.** Or, bk. Check, for November ticket balance to Jeff Wade and Indiana RR at Louisville, KY. Train at left. Much endorsed on the back. **($20-30)**

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3090 **INTERNATIONAL AND GREAT NORTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY. (TX).** 1880. **100 shs.** Br,bk. ABN. Registered to William M. Rice (and endorsed by him on the back), the well-known businessman, founder of Rice University. Punch cancelled, tab glued on at left. **EF.** **($50-90)**

3091 **NEW YORK AND PENNSYLVANIA COAL. (PA).** 1857. **$1000** Cu bond. Re, bk, state arms, coal mining scene. Punch hole at top. **VF.** **($50-70)**

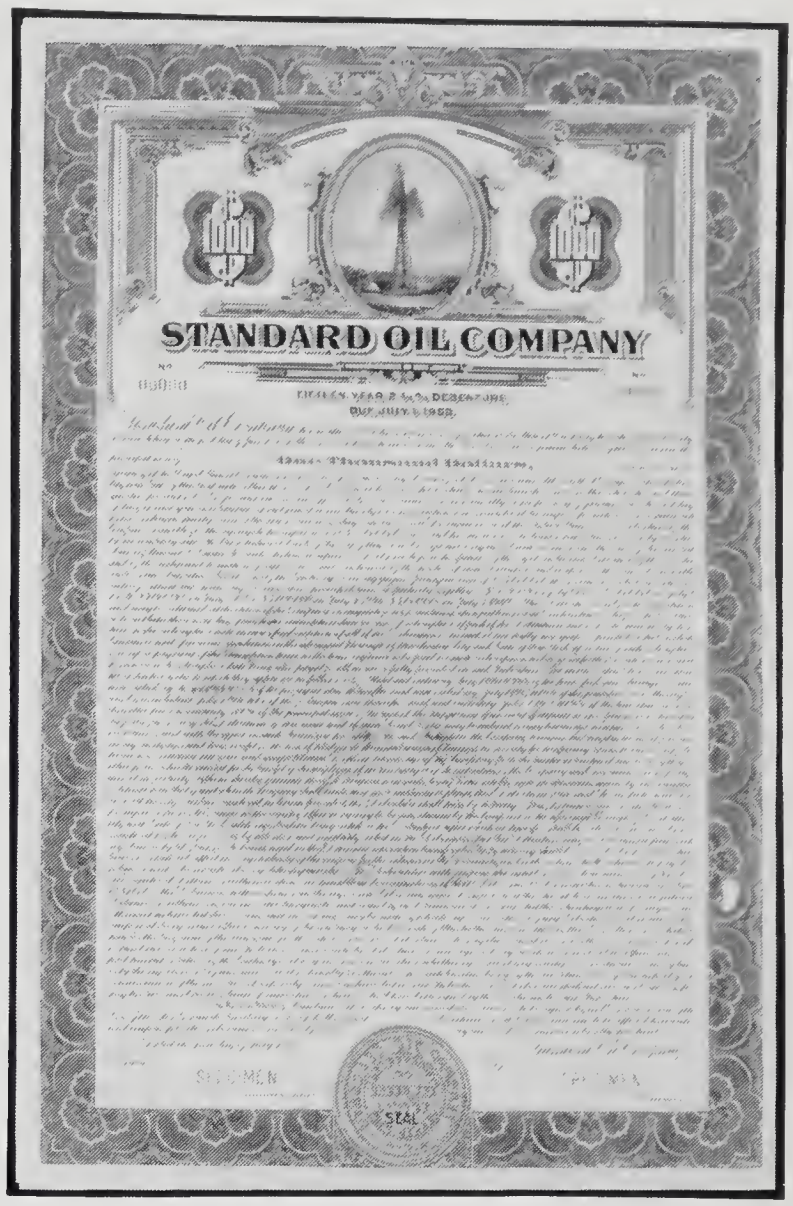
FAMOUS ARTIST

3092 **Selected Checks . [] Philadelphia Academy of the Fine Arts. (PA).** 1873. $55 check signed by John Sartain, well-known artist and teacher, as Treasurer. **Unc. [] Baltimore & Ohio RR. (MD).** 1876. $707.32 check. A.E. Hoen, Balto. Train, left. **EF. [] Union RR Transportation. (PA).** 1872. $7.50 check, bl, payable to the Erie Pittsburgh RR. **Unc. 3 Pcs.** **($90-130)**

3093 **Three Pieces from the Chase Manhattan Money Museum. [] American Mining Co. (VT).** 1850. 1 share. Standing portrait of Washington, seated bearded male figure and eagle. **[] Reliance Savings Fund and Building Association of Philadelphia and Washington. (PA).** 1851. 1 share. Two figures. Traces of Scotch tape on verso. **[] Shelbyville Real Estate Co. (IN).** 1855. 1 share. Bl paper. Small vignette of train in front of classical building. **Avg. VF.** **($60-75)**

3094 **Lake Erie and Western RR. (IN).** 1891. $1000 Cb bond. Or, bk, specimen by HLB. Stamped extented from 1941-1951 at the same rate. New coupons added with ABN imprint. **[] Chicago, Indianapolis, and Louisville Ry. (IN).** 1916. $1000 bond. Cb. specimen ABN. **VF-EF. 2 Pcs.** **($50-70)**

3095 **City of New York.** June 1, 1940. $5000 Transit Unification Bond, specimen, ABN. City Hall and the Municipal Building. Facsimile signature of La Guardia as Mayor. Creased at the folds; fresh, the only one we have seen. **($75-100)**



3096 **Standard Oil Co. (NJ).** 1938. **$1000** Cs bond. ABN. Specimen in red, striking, fresh, with folds. **EF. (Photo)** **($75-125)**

Selected U.S. Revolutionary Items

3098 **Connecticut Revolutionary Debt and Pay Table Notes. 29 Pcs. 1). £36.9.0** (Anderson CT-21). **VG,** CC, heavily endorsed. **2). £16.1.8.** (Anderson CT-19). **Unc,** heavily trimmed left border, two pinholes. **3-6).** Pay table office non-bordered forms. 1781-82. 4 signature combinations including one with Oliver Wolcott, Jr. **VF,** aging, one POC. **7-22).** Pay table office bordered forms. 11 different borders. 15 signature combinations including Wolcott. **23-24). £60, £6.** (Anderson CT-26). Both signature combinations. Both soiled, CC. **25-26). 12 shillings. £3.0.2.** (Anderson CT-49). Wolcott, Pomeroy. **VF,** CC. **27). 5 shillings.** (Anderson CT-50). Wolcott. **F-VF, CC. 28). £1.** Anderson (CT-50). Wolcott. **F-VF,** CC. **28). £1.** (CT-51). Pomeroy. **VF.** Aged, CC. **29). £89.18.4.** 1792. Colt. Kingsbury. No. 1203. Civil List" form. **Unc,** foxed, POC. A fine study lot for the serious collector. **($170-200)**

Please note that a 10% buyers charge will be added to each lot purchased on all purchases.

3099 **Lovely Collection of Revolutionary Connecticut Fiscal Paper. 1).** Request MSS for payment of £15.2.6. due William Collins for services in the Ct. Line (1777-80). Other endorsements and affidavits; referred to Pay Table Committee. **Fine. 2).** Ct. Line form. 6.1.80. (Anderson CT-11). **Unc. 3).** 1780 typeset Pay Table Committee form. **£51.2.6** Receipt. **VF. 4).** MSS form. 1781. **£1.** Signed by Wales and Mosely. **VG-F,** fold splits, edge chinks. **5).** Pay Table Office. 1785, Part printed, **£6.** Wales, Oliver Wolcott, Jr. **6).** Treasury Office. 1789. (CT-26). **£14.16.0.** Peter Colt. **VF,** CC, taped. **7-9).** 1789-90, **£13.8.0, £13.2.0., 13 shillings.** (CT-49) **VF,** POC. **10-15). 5-10 shillings** (CT50-55). **VF,** pOC. These items were signed by, among others, Peter Colt, grandfather of the arms maker and Oliver Wolcott, Jr. (1760-1833) CT Comptroller (1788-9); U.S. Auditor (1789-91); Comptroller (1791-5); U.S. Secretary of the Treasury (1795-1800); Governor of CT (1817-27).**15 Pcs.** **($150-200)**

3100 **Connecticut Fiscal Paper Group. 15 Pcs. 1-2).** CT Pay Table Office non-bordered forms. 1782. Two signature combinations. **Fine, VF. 3-9).** Bordered Pay Table Office forms. 1783. 5 border varieties and 6 signature varieties. **Avg VF. 10-12).** (Anderson CT-27). **VF, Fine,** body split and cancelled, **VF,** mercilessly trimmed. **13-17).** (Anderson CT-49). Wolcott signatures, **VF,** CC, one split. **15).** (CT-52). **Fine,** foxed, CC. **($90-125)**

3101 **Assorted Connecticut Revolutionary Interest Warrants. 1-9).** (Anderson CT-49). Variously denominationed, handwritten amount interest certificates 1790. Nos. 8969 to 11,068. **Avg VF-EF.** POC. **10). 10 shillings.** (Anderson CT-52). **Abt VF,** POC. **12-13). £2. VF,** POC. **13 Pcs.** **($80-120)**

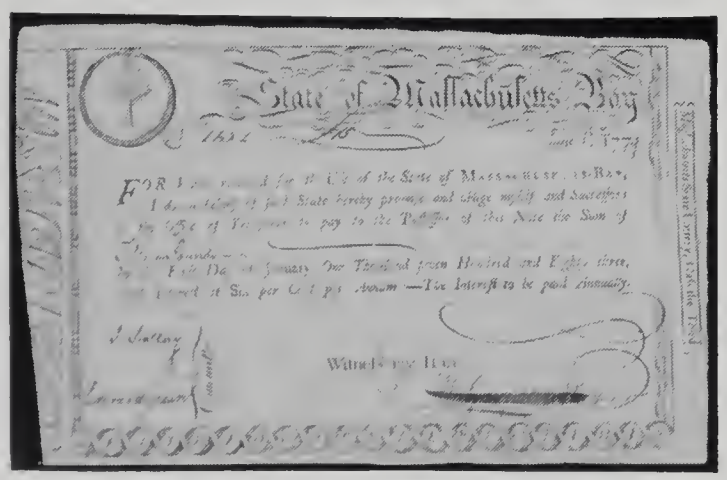
Massachusetts Colonial Bonds

3102 **£20.** 6% Note due 3.1.1783. (Anderson MA-5). No.202. **VF,** fold splits, waterstaining and soiling. **($125-175)**

Signed by H. Gardiner; countersigned by the Committee of Mascarene, D. Jeffries (a Massachusetts note signer), and J. Scollay. Pen cancelled, rough left indent.

3103 **£111.** 6% Note due 3.1.1781. (Anderson MA-10). **VF,** long split up from the bottom, ragged left indent. **($100-125)**

No. 310, signed by Henry Gardiner, (1731-82), Harvard graduate (1700), General Court Member from Stow (1757-1775), Receiver General of Taxes (1774-5), State Treasurer (1775-82), Member of the MA Council (1777-80) and a Harvard overseer. Countersigned by a Committee consisting of John Scollay, a brazier, Son of Liberty and chairman of the Board of Selectmen of Boston in whose honor Scollay Square is named, Ezekial Price (c.1728-1802) a merchant, Suffolk County Court official and Peter Boyer, a Sons of Liberty member.



3104 **£15.** 6% MA State Lottery Note, Class the Third. Due 1.1.1783. (Anderson MA-15). **VF-EF,** bottom edge split, aging, pinholes. **(Photo)** **($100-125)**

No. 152, dated 6.1.1779. Signed by Gardiner, Scollay and Green. Pen cancelled. Lottery bonds were a way of offering a better than lawful 6% interest rate by offering to issue additional bonds to those whose bond numbers were drawn. Such lottery bonds are still used in Britain.

3105 **£15.** 6% MA State Lottery Note, Class the Fourth. Due 1.1.83. (Anderson MA-16). **VF,** but aged, foxed, left indent completely cut off, right border so far gone that the class of the bond is almost indiscernable. **($50-75)**

No. 226, dated 2.5.1780 and signed by Gardiner, Scollay and Green. Also three newspaper ads.

3106 **£150.** 6% MA Advance Pay to Officers, First Moiety. Due 1.1.1780. (Anderson MA18). **VF,** taped, split holes at right. **($100-125)**

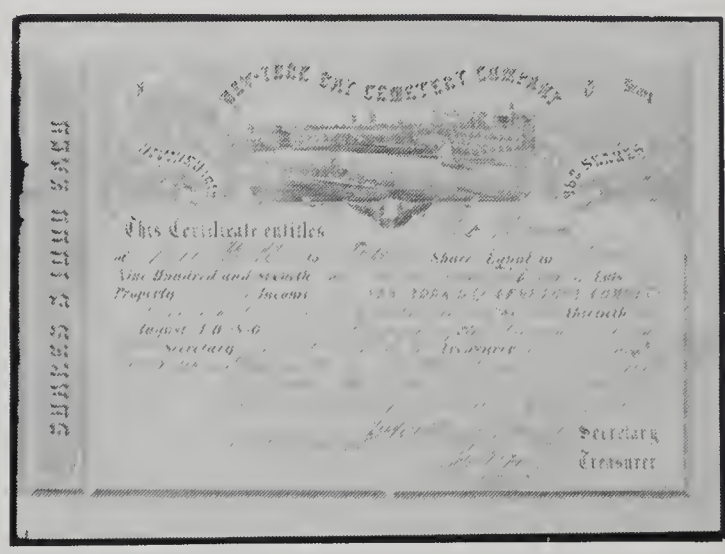
No. 314, issued April 15, 1797, signed by Gardiner, Stephen Minot, J. Mascarene. Both sides roughly trimmed, tape stains bottom right.

3107 **$376.** 6% MA Advance Pay to Officers, Second Moiety. Due 1.1.1780. (Anderson MA-19). **EF,** paper fold as made, full indent. Pen cancelled. **($100-125)**

No. 393, dated May 1, 1779, signed by Gardiner, Mascarene, Minot. Dollar denominated bonds such as this were quite unusual.

3108 **£7.14.0.** 6% bond due 1786. (Anderson MA-31). **VF,** cut cancellation out of the bottom, strip protectors on the back, clipped top left corner. **($100-125)**

No. 962, Signed by Gardiner and M. Davies, a MA note signer.



3109 **New-York Bay Cemetery Co.** 1850. 1 share. Equal to a nine hundred sixtieth part of the profits. Wonderful vignette shows Fort Clinton and Trinity Church. A rarity. Crease, **VF. (Photo)** **($120-150)**

3111 **Egyptian Salt & Soda Company Ltd. (UK).** 1862. 1 share. Pu, Sphinx, Pyramids, etcs. "Specimen" written in red on face, punch "CANCELLED" **VF.** **($20-35)**

3112 **Various Benelux Issues. [] Netherlandsch-Indische Conversie-Leening,** (Dutch East Indies). 1934. 1000 Gulden Cu bond. Bl, bl. Long split in from left, punch cancelled. **[] Dutch East Indies Guilder Loan.** 1934. 1000 Guilders. (Provisional bond for the last). Regd. Or, bk. Specimen. Punch cancelled. **[] Same,** but 500 Guilders. Dl, bl. Specimen. POC. **[] Same,** but 100 Guilders. Br, bk. Specimen. POC. **[] Ford Motor Company (Belgium).** 1929. **1 share.** Bl, bk, stamp cancelled, body tears, soiling, holed at top. (5) Avg: **VF.** **($30-45)**

3113 **Communications: [] Peoples' Mutual Telephone Company. (CA).** 1898. **$1000** Cs bond. Gr, bk, defaulted 1902. Vignettes of early phones. **[] Southern Telegraph Company. (NY).** 1882. **$1000** Cs bond. Gy, bk, gr. ABN. In default since 1885. **VF-EF. 2 Pcs.** **($90-120)**

3114 **Telephones: [] Consolidated Telephone. (NJ).** 1884. 100 shs. Br, bk, US BEP eagle at center, Kendall Bank Note Co. **[] National Telephone Manufacturing. (NH).** 1889. 200 shs. Bk, state arms, scene at center. Small piece out of left edge **($40-50)**

3115 **Rare Early Telegraph Certificates. [] New-York & New-En-gland Union Telegraph. (NY).** 1852. 8 shs. Indian, wharf scene vignettes. RWHE. Pen cancelled. **[] New York & Boston Magnetic Telegraph Association. (NY).** 1847. 4 shs. Minerva, Jupiter, Maiden with Capstan vignettes. RWH, Pen cancelled, fold soiling. **Abt VF. 2 Pcs.** **($150-200)**

3116 **New Orleans & Ohio Telegraph Lessees. (KY).** 1858. 100 shs. **TC-ABN.** Woman, man, Agriculture, Commerce and Justice, center. CC, water stained. **[] N.O. & Ohio Telegraph Company. (KY).** 1855. **$107.54** short term Regd Note. Bl, bk, re, Louisville Courier Print. Soiled, stained. (2) **Abt VF.** **($175-250)**

3117 **Arkansas State Telegraph Company. (AR).** 1861. 2 shs. Cotton wagon, state arms, stone masons. Hutton & Freligh, Memphis. Ink burn holes, badly waterstained, small part cut out at top. A rare wartime certificate. **Fair-F.** **($45-80)**

3118 **Oklahoma Central Ry. (OK-TN).** 1905. **$1000** bond, Cb, splendid steaming locomotive by Western Banknote. Gr. Excellent example and the first time in our auctions. **EF-Unc. (Photo)** ***($70-110)**

3119 **Vulcan Copper Mining Co. (OK Terr).** 1907. **250 shs.** Bk, re, go. Scarce Oklahoma Mining piece. Seal almost completely cut through. **VF.** ***($35-35)**

3120 **North American Gold Dredging Co. (ME).** 1900. **100 shs.** Or, bk, ABN. American Mines Annual Listing photocopy. (8) **VF.** **($70-90)**

3121 **Arizona Gazette Co. (AR).** 1926. **$500** regd bond. Gr, bk. Made payable to B.M. Goldwater (Baron M. Goldwater), father of the famous Senator. Nos. 309, 310. Punch cancelled. (2) **EF.** **($30-45)**

3122 **Chico Gold and Silver Mining. (NV).** 1867. 10 shs. Mining scene. With stub. Signed J(ohn) Bidwell as President, (soldier, miner, rancher and politician.) The Chico was his ranch. **EF.** **($175-225)**

3123 **County of Lawrence (DAKOTA TERR).** 1879. **$500** Cu bond. Gr, go, bk, No. 3. Punch holed, one coupon detached and pinholed to the bond. **VF.** **($70-90)**

3124 **Western Land Operations. [] Guyandotte Land. (NY).** 1850. Unissued pen cancelled Share Certificate. DB. Canal, ship, cattle and sheep scenes. **[] Western Emigrating Company. (NY).** 1835. 1 share. Typeset on soft blue paper similar to that used on the CT October 10, 1777 issue of Colonial notes. Cut in half, strip repaired. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($90-140)**

3125 **City and County of San Francisco. (CA).** 1863. **$1000** Cu bond, or, bk, Britton, S.F. Ships and wharf scene. Coupons all gone, punched, stamped "Cancelled" in red. Taped cut-through in seal. **F-VF.** **($90-130)**

3126 **State of Nevada.** 1865. **$1000** Cu bond, Woman, center, Britton, S.F. Only 70 reported in the sale of the state archival duplicates in 1982, thus **Rare**. Cut cancelled. **VF.** **($100-140)**

3127 **Richmond & York River RR. (VA).** 1857. **$1000** Cu bond. No. 142. Engraved by C. Ludwig and Litho of Ritchie & Dunnavant, Richmond. Decorative, with train and steamship, and a seldom seen piece. Four holes in the lower portion of the bond, but otherwise in excellent condition. **VF-EF. (Photo)** **($150-200)**

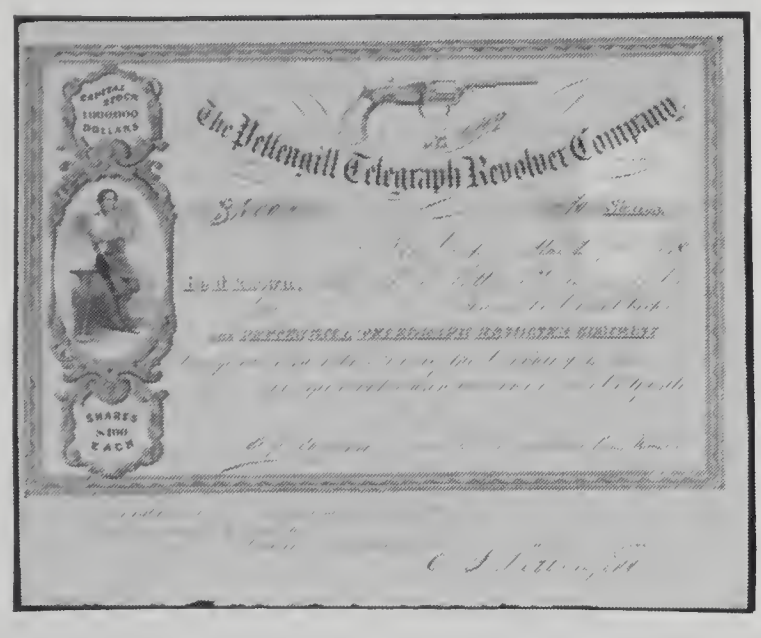
3128 **Depew Improvement Company. (NY).** 1895. 857 shs. Green. Chauncy Depew vignette. This was the kind of company used to reward high officers with special extras for good service. Only a few of these are known. **VF.** **($60-100)**

3129 **Camden and Amboy RR and Transportation Company.** (NJ). 1831. One share. Typeset subscriber interim form. The memorabilia of the first U.S. railroad are known to exist 1831-3, of which this piece is the earliest known to us. Signed by Edwin A. Stevens, son of John Stevens, the NJ Treasurer and inventor, and the founder of the Railroad in 1830. His brother Robert was President. Edwin had a hand in the operation of the Railroad until his death in 1868. **VF.** **($300-400)**

3130 **Peoria and Bureau Valley RR Company. (IL).** 1865. 101 shs. Train scene on the plains. DW. Signed by T.C. Durant; with a hole in the signature very neatly repaired. Ink stained, transferred, punch cancelled. **F-VF.** **($70-90)**

3131 **Hoboken Ferry Company. (NJ).** 189 . **100 shs.** HLB. Gr, bk. Ferry scenes. [] **Boston, Clinton & Fitchburg RR. (MA).** 1873. **$500** bond Cu, gr, bk. Train scene, J.H. Bufford. "PAID" stamp in purple. Punch cancelled. **VF. 2 Pcs. (Photo)** **($75-100)**

3132 **Joseph Dixon Crucible Company. (NJ).** 1958-9. Various commom share certificates Nos. 5501-746 rejoined in a book, from which they were issued. Bl, bk, Dixon portrait, FLB-ABN. **VF. 245 Pcs.** **($150-300)**



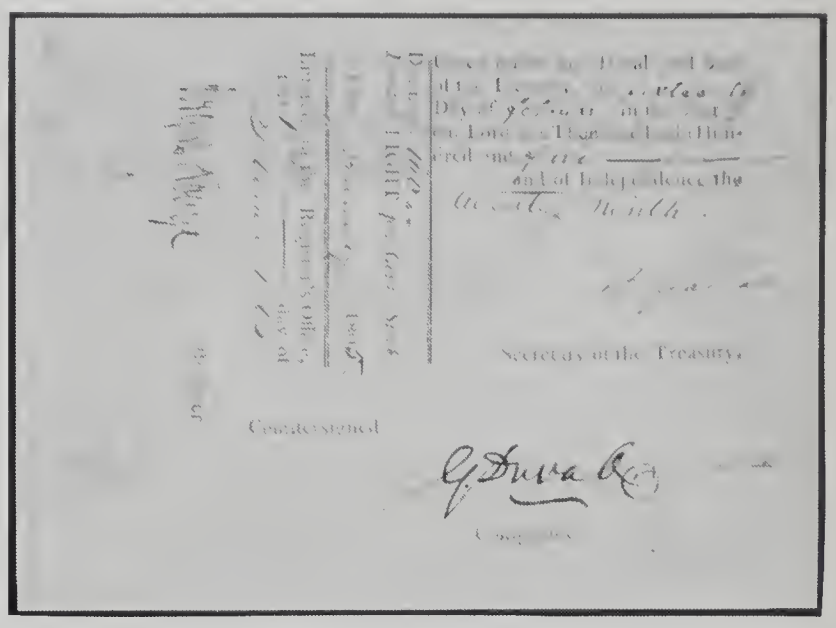
3133 **Pettengill Telegraph Revolver Company. (NY).** 1858. 10 shs. Mechanic, left; picture of the revolver at top. Payable to the inventor, P.C. Pettengill and endorsed by him on the bottom. To judge by the picture, Pettengill's patent was for one of the most eccentric weapons invented in an era famous for such oddities. **VF. (Photo)** **($125-175)**

3134 **Second Bank of the United States. (PA).** 1837. **£250.** 20 month postnote. DTL, bank building, usual six male vignettes. Signed by Nicholas Biddle as President. These notes were issued in England to raise cash for the overextended bank which finally failed in 1841. Pen cancelled. **VF. ($150-200)**

3135 **Bank of the United States.** [] **£256** 20 month note as last, only No. 1398. [] **Dutch $100** typeset bond, on the credit of the bank in 1842 during its liquidation. Nothing was paid. Fold splits. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($175-225)**

3136 **Bank of the United States. (PA).** 1836. 10 shs. FDU. Standard form signed by Nicholas Biddle using the Federal Charter form when the Bank was actually a state (PA) institution. The new seal is, however, embossed at the left. **VF-EF.** **($150-225)**

3137 **Post Failure Certificate. Bank of the United States. (PA).** 1855. 5 shs. Standard form by UBSH, signed by Peter Wager as President. The firm was put into liquidation in 1841 and for a long time hopes were entertained of salvaging something for the shareholders. The liquidation was completed in 1858 and nothing was left for the shareholders. Three shaved borders, otherwise **VF.** **($150-225)**



3138 **United States Treasury.** 1805. Receipt for a Loan to the United States of **$100** of the 1798 8% stock (regd bonds). Signed by Albert Gallatin as Secretary of the Treasury (part gone because of a punch cancellation). Countersigned by G. Duvall (1752-1844) as Comptroller. Gabriel Duval, Maryland politician, U.S. Congressman, MD Chief Justice, First U.S. Comptroller (1802-11), Associate Justice U.S. Supreme Court (1812-35). Also signed by Joseph Nourse Revolutionary soldier, U.S. Register of the Treasury (1778-1829), finally canned for fraudulent conversion. Also a portrait of Gallatin. **VF. (Photo)** **($90-140)**

3139 **Burlington and Missouri River RR.** 1859. 188 shs. Typeset. Payable to Erasmus Corning, NY industrialist and politician. Endorsed by him on transfer in 1871, only a year before his death. The signature is very feeble. Punched. **VF.** **($60-Up)**

3140 **Delaware Mutual Safety Insurance. (PA).** 1875. **$45** dividend form for 1844. ABN. Indian, shipping scene, sailing ships and Fulton. **VF-EF.** **($45-60)**

3141 **Sun Fire - Office. (UK).** 1833. Fire insurance policy for a year on certain premises drawn to Charles Brudenell Bruce, Marquis of Ailesbury (Tottenham Park, Wilts). The Marquis was a cousin of George Brudenell, Earl of Cardigan, the disastrous leader of the charge of the Light Brigade whose title was ultimately inherited by the Marquis. Fancy engraved heading. **VF. (Photo)** **($30-45)**

3142 **City of Boston, Boston Water Scrip. (MA).** 1848. **$1000.** Regd bond payable to bearer! NEB, 7 vignettes, signed by Josiah Quincy as Mayor. Quincy's father of the same name having been Mayor of Boston, a U.S. Congressman and President of Harvard. Shaved borders, punched. **VF-EF.** **($60-80)**

3143 **District of Spring Garden. (PA).** 1850. **$1000** regd bond. DWC, city vignette at center, Justice with eagle, bottom, issued by the District in support of the Pennsylvania RR. Punch. **VF.** **($65-90)**

3144 **Interstate Coupler Co. (NJ).** 1894. 20 shs. Br, bk, train vignette. Edge tear. [] **Second National Petroleum Company. (PA).** 1866. 500 shs. Go, gr, bk Majors & Knapp. U.S. Capitol Building. Fold splits. **VF.** **($100-130)**

3145 **Ohio Amber Oil Company. (OH).** 1866. 4 shs. Typeset, stamp gone at left. **Aht VF.** **($70-90)**

3146 **Harrison Wire Company. (MO).** 1880. **$1000** bond Cu; default settlement stamp on the face, huge mill vignette. [] **Marine and River Phosphate Company. (SC).** 1883. Typeset ship WECO. **VF. (Photo)** **($100-140)**

3147 **Quebec, Montreal and Southern Ry Company. (CANADA-UK).** 1909. 9860 shs owned by the Delaware and Hudson Co. of N.Y.C. The Delaware & Hudson acquired sole control of this reorganized bankrupt road in 1905. Typeset. Holes in embossed seal. **VF.** **($50-70)**

3148 **South-Central Railroads. [] Gulf & Chicago Ry Co. (MS-TN).** 1903/4. 100 shs. IBK. Train, left. Punched. [] **Choctaw and Memphis RR Co. (PA).** 1900. 100 shs. Pfd certificate. Br, bk, trains, cotton plant. ABN, punched. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($45-65)**

3149 **New Orleans, Mobile and Texas RR. (AL-MS-LA).** 1872. **$1000** bond Cu. Re, bk, Seibert & Bros. Pu seal, eagle. Defaulted 1880. **VF.** **($90-140)**

3150 **Talladega and Coosa Valley RR. (AL).** 1889. **$1000** bond Cu. Gr, bk, HLB. Br back. No. 217 of 337 issued. Beautifully engraved scene of lumberman. **EF.** **($80-110)**

3151 **Missouri Lot. [] Callaway Mining & Manufacturing Co.** 1855. **$100** bond Cu. Re, bk. Clarks, printer. Suspended 3.1.1859, an 1878 10.3% dividend payment noted on the back. [] **Tarkio Valley RR Co.** 1880. **30 shs.** Br, FBN. Train. Punched, stamp cancelled. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($90-120)**

Famous Resort Utility

3152 **Aspen and Glenwood Springs Telephone and Telegaphy Co. (CO).** 1886. **5 shs.** Typeset. Made out to W.W. Cooley, who signed the certificates as Vice President. Only five examples are known. **EF.** **($50-90)**

3153 **District of Kensington. (PA).** 1853. **$250** Regd bond. 5 vignette plate, punched. [] **Susquehanna Bridge Company of the Village of Binghampton. (NY).** 1829. **1 share.** Typeset. 1 of 200 shares issued. Lovely early, and unusual piece. Both **Abt VF-EF. 2 Pcs.** **($150-200)**

3154 **State of Mississippi.** 1870. **$50** (Cr.70c) bond. Series C. CBN. Or, bk. Punched, CC, cancellation tears at center. **VF.** **($50-90)**

STEPHEN F. AUSTIN

3155 **Texian Loan.** 1836. **$320.** ($32 payment certificate) regd Land Warrant bond. (Cr.36A4). Usual triangular piece gone. Benjamin Levy, New Orleans Printer. Signed by S(tephen) Austin as a Commissioner, founder of Texas after whom the city was named. He excercised broad powers in Texas as executive, judge, and commander. **VF.** **($800-1200)**

"Whore House" Bonds

3156 **State of Carolina.** 1869. **$1000** bond Cu. Gr, bk, ABN. Autograph signature of Governor Robert K. Scott. Given the epithet "Whore House bonds" by the New York Times because of the fact that most of these were signed by Scott in his mistress's hotel in Columbia, an establishment much patronized by other "Lovey Women" and their protectors. Indeed Scott was so drunk most of the time that his mistress had to help out, hence the printed signatures used on the subsequent issues. Most are soiled and/or with fold splits. **F-VF. 20 Pcs.** **($175-250)**

3157 **County of Siskiyou. (CA).** 1884. **$500** bond Cu. No. 11. Re, bk, with gold paper seal. Local typeset with three crude vignettes. Paid off in 1888. **VF.** **($75-125)**

3158 **Philadelphia Bond Issues.** [] 1856. **$100.** DWC. Typical 10 vignetted regd city bond. Issued to M.S. Dyott, operator of the Manual Labor Bank Note issuing mill for which he was sent to prison. [] 1863. **$1000** regd bond. "Free them from all taxes" in red, same as last except for ABN imprint. This one is registered to Jay Cooke & Co., thus a highly desireable item. POC (triangular holes). **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($100-125)**

3159 **Mormon Item. Arizona Co-Operative Mercantile Institution. (AR-TERR).** 1893. **2 shs.** Typeset Territorial arms (?) at center. While the certificate says the rest of the business was at Holbrook, it had in fact moved to Woodward (until 1888) and moved again, Holbrook having been completely destroyed by fire in 1888. (See the enclosed sheets with the data on this fascinating Mormon store). **EF.** **($175-250)**

3160 **Private Iowa Bond. J.K. Hurnish of Keokuk. (IA).** 1858. **$1000** bond Cu. Local typeset, four crude vignettes. No. 24 of only 50 issued. The security was the "Estes House", a famous hotel in Keokuk, and the bond is signed by J. Edgar Thomson, President of the Pennsylvania Railroad and an important investor of the period. **VF,** with very wide margins, fold splits, taped. **($70-120)**

3161 **Mining Scenes. [] North Fork, American River. (CA).** 1854. Engraving from Gleason's Pictorial Drawing-Room Companion. River sluice scene. Matted, plastic cover. [] **Park's Bar Company Works. (CA).** 1858. Miners, sluice, matted, plastic cover. [] photo, miners at pithead with tools. Mounted on cardboard, soiling. [] photo of log cabins and a plank road in a camp with identification of the uses of the buildings, but no location. **4 Pcs.** **($50-75)**

3162 **Four Famous Americans and a Columbian Exposition Item.** [] Engraving of **Lincoln** from a Daguerreotype. [] Engraving of **Ben Franklin** with fur cap. "I. Elios H Sculp 1780". [] Engraving of **Nicholas Biddle** by J.B. Longacre and T.B. Welch from a Rembrandt Peale painting, by Butler and Long. Engraving of Biddle's signature. [] Engraving of **Silas Deane, Esq.,** Dufimetiere drawing, J. Fielding 1783 print. [] **Clark's Spool Cotton** ad with Columbian Exposition buildings in color. **EF, Unc** (4). **5 Pcs.** **($50-65)**

3163 **Stationery with an Engraving of the Merchant's Exchange on Wall Street.** Now the Citibank headquarters downtown. Re, bl, br. 10 double sheets, 5 single sheets. All **Unc. 15 Pcs. (Photo)** **($60-100)**

3164 **An Iron and Coal Group. [] Maryland and New-York Iron and Coal Co. (MD).** 1840. **£100** bond Cu. RWH. 3 standard vignettes, payments suspended 7.1.42. No. 5. [] **Union Iron and Coal Company. (PA).** 1854. **$500** bond Cu. Typeset, bl seal, pen cancelled. Fold split. **VF, F-VF. 2 Pcs.** **($150-200)**

3165 **Cumberland Valley RR Co. (PA).** 1835. Receipt form for **2 shs** of stock down payment ($10). No. 46, with a history of the founding of this company. The line was to run from the Cumberland Valley town of Carlisle to Harrisburg on the Pennsylvania main line, not south to MO as indicated on the map. Very early and rare. The only example we have seen. **EF. (Photo)** **($125-160)**

3166 **Horse Drawn Street Railways. [] Herkimer and Mohawk Street RR. (NY).** 1871. **4 shs.** Local typeset, horsedrawn street car at the top. Pen cancelled. [] **Lowell Horse RR. (MA).** 1867. **10 shs.** Fred Meyer. Horsedrawn car at top. Aging in right margin. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($130-170)**

DANIEL WEBSTER

3167 **Concord Bank Stock. (NH).** 1807. **10 shs.** Typeset by Geo. Hough, Concord. It is fully issued, and was transferred to Daniel Webster, who had signed the piece at the lower right as a receipt. The assignment form is on the lower third of the face. Dignified looking piece, paper and wax seal, and in excellent condition. **EF.** **($600-900)**

3168 **A Selection of Printer's and Engraver's Proof Securities. [] International and Great Northern Ry Company. (TX).** 1911. Regd bond, unissued on thick paper. [] **City of Woodbury. (NJ).** 1927. **$1000** regd school bond. Br, bk, punched. [] **Princeton Water Company. (NJ).** 1932. **$1000** regd bond. Proof on soft paper, folded, splits. [] **Public Finance Service, Inc. (PA).** 1927. **$1000.** Regd bond. Eagle, or back., punched. [] **Princeton Water Company. (NJ).** 1932. **$1000** Regd bond. Gr, bk. [] SPECIMEN **$100** bond, border with full tint (gr), by NBN of North Philadelphia (prior to 1879). [] **City of Cumberland. (MD).** 1922. **$1000** bond Cb. Unissued bl and bk bond, stamped "VOID" at the bottom, corner tip off. **VF-Unc. 7 Pcs.** **($60-100)**

3169 **Printer's Trials. [] Blue Ridge Granite Company. (PA).** 188 Share Certificate. Bk, gr, unissued. POC. [] **Equitable Co-Operative Building Association. (DC).** 1889. **$1000.** (One share). 18th Series. Sheet of two, man , left; red "18"s. Punched. [] **Primus Mining and Milling Company. (CO).** 1908. Unissued share certificate. Punched, back glue stains. [] **Gambrenus Laegerkrouz. (PA).** 1891. **$10** CD. Go, bk, king at left. Leonardt. Punched, paper fold as made. [] **Beaver Run Coal Company. (PA).** 18 . Unissued stock certificate printed by Wm F. Murphy Sons, bk, pi paper. Punched. [] **United States Brewer's Permit.** 1870's BEP. Bk on pink paper. Punched. **EF-Unc. 6 Pcs.** **($30-45)**

3170 **Unissued Montana Territory Shares. [] Gold Hill & Lee Mountain Mining Co.** bk, pu. [] **Blackfoot Mining and Milling Company.** Bk, or, gr, 3 vignettes. [] **Middle Fork Mining Co.** Typeset, bk. **Unc. 3 Pcs.** **($50-90)**

3171 **Jay Gould Mining Company. (MT-TERR).** 18 . Share Certificate, bk, mining scene. Unissued, one with a finger smudge at right. **Unc. 3 Pcs.** **($45-65)**

3173 **Medal Celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the Founding of the General Cashier's Office for Reports and Deposits.** (1874-1924). Medal by Lorrain and from the steep landscaping and French language text refers to some institution in Switzerland or Southern France. Light wear. **($50-75)**

Robert Garrett & Sons

3174 **Metalic Die Stamp, or Wax Seal of Robert Garrett & Sons. Baltimore (MD).** Robert Garrett (1783-1857) father of John Work Garrett (the railroader and collector) was prominent in his own right being a trader in various capacities until 1820 when he set op Robert Garrett & Sons (1820-1857), a wholesale grocery and commission business. He was a founder of the Baltimore and Ohio RR, a director or a founder of the Baltimore Water Company, the Gas Company, the Shot Tower Company, the Savings Bank of Baltimore, The Western Bank of Baltimore **et al.** A bit battered, but intact and a curious relic of the great numismatic family. **($45-75)**

3175 **Bond of Love and Friendship. (MO).** 1907. Jeweler's birthstone calendar printed by Aug. Gast, Bank Note Engraver of St Louis Gr, bk; re back. Ring sizes on back, fold, stains. **VF.** **($20-30)**

3176 **Insurance Company of the State of PA.** 1796. Two uncut forms for the transfer of shares in the company. The first is payable to Samuel Blodgett (1757-1817) son of the Samuel Blodgett in lot 3192 following; architect, speculator, friend of Robert Morris, founder of the Insurance Company of North America, the Washington Association and the United States Insurance Company (and Bank) in Washington, D.C. where he was a great speculator, like Morris, and like him was bankrupted and imprisoned for debt. **Unc.** **($150-225)**

3177 **Same as last,** edge wrinkilng at the top, but signed by Thomas Biddle, of Philadelphia. **EF.** **($100-140)**

A FINE RUN OF EARLY INSURANCE COMPANY SHARE CERTIFICATES

3178 [] **Newark Banking & Insurance Company. (NJ).** 1805. **2 shs,** original capital stock subscription form. This establishment changed its name to the Newark Banking Company (1859), then to the National Newark and Essex Banking Co. (1918) and is now the Midatlantic N.B. of Newark. (1973). A biography of the bank is available in our literature section of this auction. **VF.** **($150-200)**

3179 **Columbian Insurance Company. (NY).** 1810. **25 shs.** Copper plate with name indent and seal at left. Aged to light tan. **F-VF.** **($150-200)**

3180 **Bristol Marine Insurance Company. (RI).** 1820. **5 shs.** Typeset form, indented at left. Fold split in from left, aging. **EF.** **($125-175)**

3181 **Franklin Fire Insurance Company. (NY).** 1831. **100 shs.** Copper plate, aged to a light tan. **VF.** **($100-140)**

3182 **Early New York Insurance Shares. [] The Sea Insurance Company. (NY).** 1835. **20 shs.** Woman writing on a list as a ship sinks and a city burns in the background. P.A. Mesier's Lith shop. Paper clip and water stained, top right corner clipped. [] **Mutual Safety Insurance. (NY).** 1847. **$13.08.** Interest dividend form. "NEW ISSUE". Sailing ships in a bay, Washington, bottom. **F-VF. 2 Pcs.** **($125-160)**

3183 **American Fire Insurance Company Items. (PA).** [] 1810. "An Act to Incorporate the subscribers to the American Fire Insurance Company...". 11 page document in soft blue paper cover. [] **Insurance Proposal Issued by Job Bacon** January 1, 1825 explaining the company's services and pointing to the $500,000 paid in Capital. 7 page. **2 Pcs.** **($40-55)**

3184 **Insurance Company Group. [] Social Insurance Company. (MA).** Uncut pair of 1801-20 share certificates. Unissued. Foxed, mounting remnants on face of top certificate and a frayed right edge. [] **General Mutual Insurance Company. (NY).** 1879. **$30** deposit form, RWHE, ship, sailor red "1849". Multiple and serious ink corrosion holes to the left of center. [] **Insurance Company of Columbia (SC).** 1837. **10 shs.** Typeset. Fold splits, evident at top, no imprint. **VF** or so. **3 Pcs.** **($85-110)**

3185 **American Hay and Cottonpress Company. (NY).** 1865. **750 shs.** S.S. Motley, spectacular horse-powered press vignette. A great favorite that hasn't been seen in quite a while. **VF-EF.** **($150-Up)**

3186 **Library Share Certificates. [] Columbia Pennsylvania Library Company . (PA).** 1829. **1 share.** Typeset. Dividend to purchaser's son of $2 in 1833. [] **New-town Library Company. (NY).** 1808. **1 share.** $10 paid in full for same. Note the additional payments proviso whenever the Trustees ordered an assessment. Privately organized libraries of this sort were not unusual between 1750-1850 but the introduction of the free public libraries (or ones with only nominal fees) have greatly reduced the number of such establishments during the past few years. They chiefly exist today in the older states of the North-East. Accordingly, we believe such certificates to be **rare. EF. 2 Pcs.** **($90-140)**

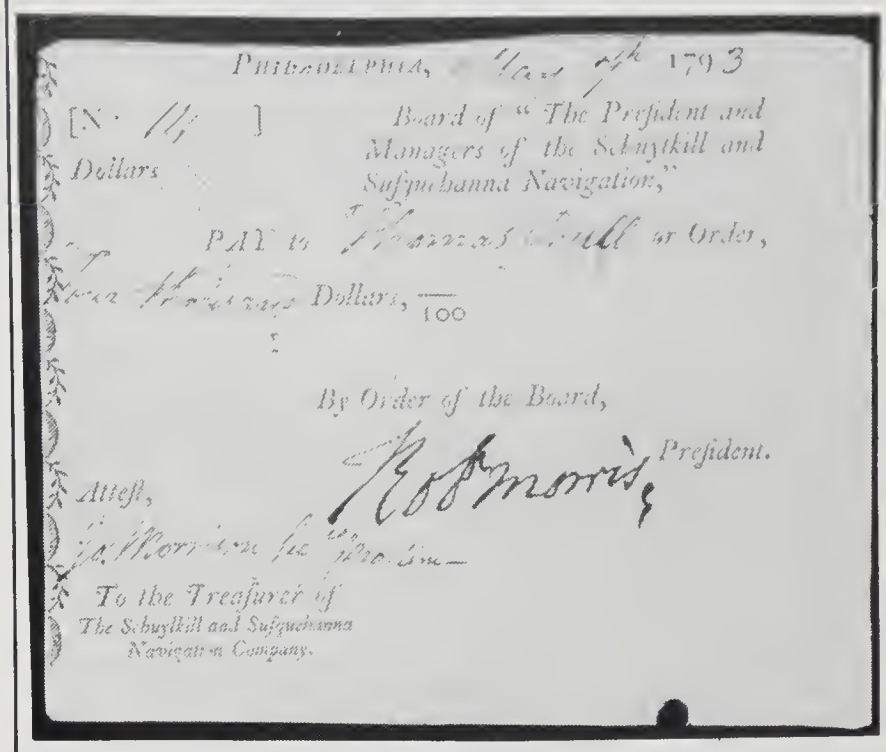
3187 **Aaron Burr. (NY).** 1788. **£1.12.6.** Check drawn on the Bank of New York. Burr of course was the Tammany Hall politico who nearly became President in 1800, served as Vice President (1801-05), and was involved in the Spanish Conspiracy Case in which he was saved from treason charges by the timely intervention of Chief Justice John Marshall, who was fortuitously present because of Jefferson's repeal of a Federalist Judiciary Act. Pen cancelled, aged, **VF.** **($250-300)**

Robert Morris Rarities

3188 **Pennsylvania Population Company. (PA).** 1794. **1 share.** A Robert Morris Company. Registered to Aaron Burr, signed by Tench Francis and John Nicholson. Typeset, Francis Bailey, Printer. **VF** or so. A great rarity. **($1000-1500)**

3189 **President, Managers and Company of the Schuylkill and Susquehanna Navigation Company. (PA).** 1792. Order form printed by Zachariah Poulson ordering a special meeting on the evening of March 5, 1792 by order of Robert Morris in his capacity as President. Signed on Morris's behalf, probably by the Secretary. Addressed to John Nicholson. Nicholson served as a Commissioner of Accounts for PA until 1782; became Comptroller General (1782-5), Receiver General of Taxes (1785-7), Escheator General (1787-94) for the liquidation of the seized loyalist estates; impeached by the PA House on a charge of paying off his own claims against PA; acquitted, resigned. Joined Morris in the ill-fated North American Land Company (having been a partner of Morris's as early as 1780); sent to prison for debt and afterwards served as an editor. **EF.** **($300-500)**

3190 **Delaware and Schuykill Canal Navigation (Company). (PA).** 1792. **1 share.** Copper plate work, embossed seal at left., back accounting for payments of **$200** "Margaret Frazier's debt and **signed by Robert Morris** as President, Morris (1734-1806) being a signer of the Declaration of Independence, the Superintendent of Finance, U.S. Senator, member of the Constitutional Convention and a failed speculator. A great rarity. Fold splits, taped on back. **VF.** **($700-1200)**


PHILADELPHIA, May 7th 1793

[No. 14]

Dollars

Board of "The President and Managers of the Schuylkill and Susquehanna Navigation,"

PAY to Thomas Bull or Order,

Dollars, 100

By Order of the Board,

President.

Attest,

To the Treasurer of The Schuylkill and Susquehanna Navigation Company.

3190A **Extremely Rare Robert Morris Item.** Draft for **$4000** payable to Thomas Bull by the Schuykill and Susquehanna Navigation Company. No. 14. May 7, 1793. **VF,** small punch hole at the bottom. **(Photo)** **($800-1200)**

Signed by Robert Morris as President. Morris (1734-1806) was a Philadelphia merchant, Continental Congressman (1774-6), Member of the PA Assembly 1778-81; Superintendent of Finance (1781-5), founder of the Bank of North America, member of the U.S. Constitutional Convention (1787), U.S. Senator (1789-95), went bankrupt from unsucessful speculations in 1798, sprung by his cousin Gouverneur Morris. The draft is also signed by Jo. Morrison as Secretary Pro. Tem. Endorsed on the back, May 10, 1793. Received from "Tench Francis, Treasurer" to the company $2814 in cash and $1186 in notes. Tench Francis was also the cashier of the Bank of North America and the son of an earlier Tench Francis Attorney General of PA (1741-5). An extremely rare certificate, vastly rarer than the North American Land Company receipts which are worth retail $350.

3191 **Chesapeake & Ohio Canal Company. (MD).** 1848. **$1000** Bond Cu by RWHE, preferred lien on income for $1.7 million (1700 bonds) and countersigned by three representatives of the State of Maryland which was thereby giving its express consent to being put by in favor of the new bondholders. Maryland had, of course, completed the canal to Cumberland at a cost in excess of $5 million only to find that the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad had rendered the whole project futile. Edge chinks. **VF.** **($250-400)**

3192 **Blodgett Canal Company. (NH).** 1799. **1 share.** Wax seal at left on typeset certificate. Signed by Samuel Blodgett (1724-1807) merchant, manufacturer, builder of the canal from Amoskeag Falls to the Merrimac River (1794-1806) and the father of the Samuel Blodgett in lot 3176. Split in half along the horizontal fold, rejoined. Exceedingly rare and desireable. **($800-1200)**

3193 **Gibralter and Flat Rock Company. (MI).** 1836. **1 share.** Typeset at Detroit. Payable to Benjamin B. Kercheval who signed as President. Endorsed by him on the back. This was a scheme for developing 700 acres, but as everybody had the same idea during that period of speculative mania, we may safely assume that this house of cards folded along with the rest. **Unc.** **($75-100)**

STEAMBOAT RARITIES

3194 **Golden Fleece Steamboat Company. (NY).** 1817. **1/5 share** of share No. 24. Steamboat vignette, said to be the earliest known use of such a vignette on this kind of security. A rare example. Edge nicks, **VF.** **($75-125)**

3195 **Codorus Navigation Company. (PA).** 1838. **1 share,** regd to the Commonwealth of PA signed as President by Charles A. Barnitz, (1780-1850) U.S. Congressman, President of the Yale Bank, Whig Delegate, Penn family agent, etc. Typeset, embossed seal at left. **Unc.** **($90-140)**

3196 **Gloucester and Greenwich Point Ferry Company. (PA).** 1820. **1 share.** Typeset, Phoenix embossed corporate seal (cracked) at left. Signed as President by Robert Wharton (1757-1834), Mayor of Philadelphia 1798-1824 on and off (thus at signing) merchant, stern disciplinarian (he crushed a merchantmen riot and killed two convicts) and sportsman. Master Gloucester N.J. Fox Hunting Club (1812-18) for which, no doubt, this ferry was a great conveniece! Fold splitting. **VF.** **($200-300)**

3197 **Maryland and Virginia Steamboat Company.** 1830. **1 share.** Typeset on pinkish paper. **VF-EF.** **($250-400)**

3198 **Canals and Steamboats. [] Morris Canal and Banking Company. (NJ).** 1848. **24 shares.** N.y. Agent form for shares of 1844. (The firm went bankrupt on a foreclosure in 1841 - hence the distinction between the old and new shares).Brown on pink paper. Faded in spots. [] **Sebago & Long Pond Steam-Navigation Co. (ME).** 1848. **3 shs.** Typeset on blue with green seal and church and two ships. Splitting and discolored along the folds. [] **Steamboat Helen. (NY).** 1834. Blank three form uncut share sheet. Aging in the corner. **VF-Unc. 3 Pcs.** **($80-110)**

3199 **Orinoco Steam Navigation Company. (NY-VENEZUELA).** 1852. **1 share** of $1000. RWHE, 4 vignettes, a red "1000" across face. Foxing spots, edge nicks. Very attractive, doubly so as payable to Brown Brothers, now Brown Brothers, Harriman & Co. [] **Rotary Steamboat and Carriage Company. (KY).** 1866. Unissued, with fascinating pictures of the firm's inventions. **VF-EF. 2 Pcs.** **($175-250)**

3200 **Water Conveyance in New York. [] Brooklyn Steamship & Emigration Co. (NY).** 1867. **$1000** convertible bond Cu, ship vignette. [] **Hudson Navigation Company. (NY).** 1915. **2 shs,** pfd, or, bk, steamboat with search light vignette. [] **Brooklyn Ferry Company. (NY).** 1906. **$1000** CD, gr, bk, ABN, payable at the Knickerbocker Trust Co., the bank whose speculations and mismanagement provoked the Panic of 1907 **VF-EF.** **($75-125)**

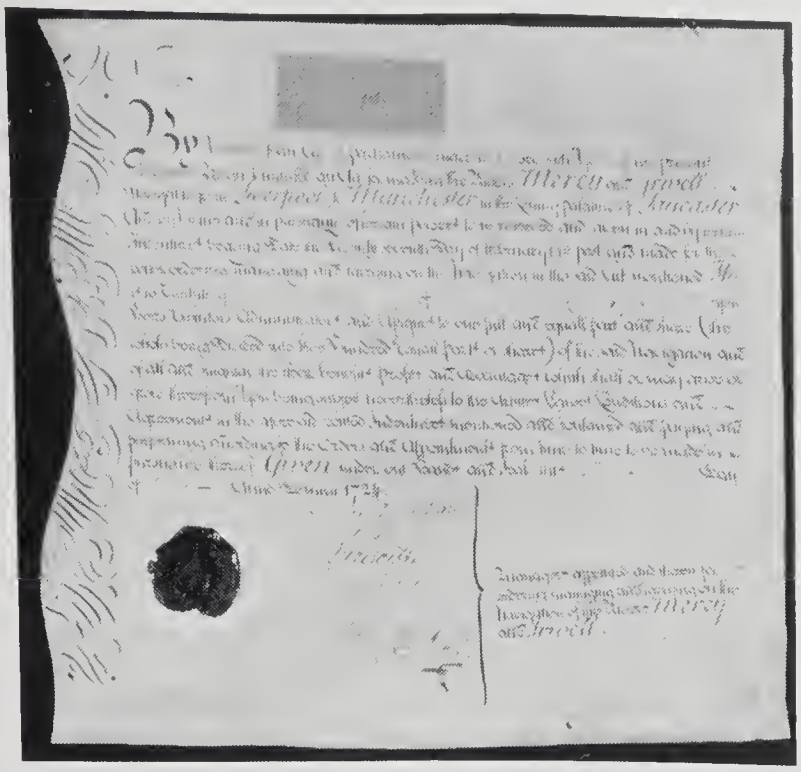
3201 **Pennsylvania Coal Canal Reports. [] President and Managers of the Schuykill Navigation Company to the Stockholders.** January 4, 1841, January 4, 1842. (For the years 1840 and 1841.) Reports on the business of the year (mostly coal from Northern PA) and the firm's recovery in the face of crashes, cash panics and severe floods. 19 and 20 pages respectively. Binding splitting, no covers. Part of the Fahnestock bequest to the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. [] **Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company.** (General mortgage and deed of Trust of March 7, 1842 plus an Act of the Legislature to the same purpose, February 16, 1842. 17 pages. Bound in a soiled pink cover. **2 Pcs.** **($45-60)**

3202 **South Sea Company.** Power of Attorney to sell £1000 of South Sea Company Stock. 6 January 1730. All handwritten manuscript with red wax seal, three embossed 6 pence tax stamps at the top. Long split down the top along the fold. The South Sea Company by 1730 had been put through its liquidation and crash, together with the heavy fining of the negligent or deliquent directors. Until its abolition in the 19th century, it was merely a special agent for handling a portfolio of the public debt from which its earnings were derived. Note that George Holme, the signer appointed a goldsmith, William Hart to sell this stock, goldsmiths being the bankers of the period. Note also the witnessing of the document by two church wardens. **VF.** **($500-750).**

3203 **Casa de Moneda (Peru).** 1828. The mint; cash advance or mint production for 1801. Pesos, 1 1/4 reales. Signed, cancelled, ink corrosion holes, deacidified. **($100-150)**

3204 **Part Printed Land Warrant of Pennsylvania** in favor of Alexander Baring, Henry Baring, Robert Gilmore Thomas Mayne Willing and Charles Will Hare in 1806 (confirming a 1792 grant) for 1100 acres. Alexander and Henry Baring were sons of Sir Francis and Lay Harriety Baring and spent much time in America managing Baring business (c1800-1810). Thomas M. Willing was a son of Thomas Willing, the President of the Bank of North America. This certificate was part of the Commonwealths program for disposing of the confiscated Penn family holdings. Although the Commonwealth reserved the proprietorial rights to one fifth of all the precious metals mined and the grant-rents. While printed by W. Hamilton, this ornate Kneass, the American banknote and coin engraver and designer and is a **rare** early sample of his work. Elaborate sate seal at the top left. **VF.** **($125-160)**

Please note that a 10% buyers charge will be added to each lot purchased on all purchases.



3205 **Mercy and Irwell Navigation Company (UK).** 1724. 1 share issued to William Holme on parchment with elaborate red wax seal complete with ship and motto Nemo Sibi Nascitur (No one gives birth to themselves). British blue 6 pence revenue stamps at the top. Signed by seven managers among whom was James Bradshaw, a mancusian merchant who turned Jacobite, fought for the Young Pretender and was executed after Culloden in 1746 for his pains. This canal company was organized by Parliament in 1720 and called for 500 shares. William Holme, to which this share was issued was one of the projectors of this scheme as was Oswald Mosely, lord of the manor for most of LIverpool whose fascist decendent, Sir Oswald Mosely was bought off that position to prevent his meddling in city affairs. Fold soiling, a rare piece, of which less than twenty exist. **VF. (Photo)** **($900-1200)**

3206 **Insurance Company of Anvers (Austrian-Netherlands-Belgium).** 1756-88. 1 share of 1000 Brabant Florins, payment receipts for 2/8 of the sum due or 250 Florins. 2 forms, with and without the Austrian arms or an elaborate, cracked company seal. First has payment notations on the back. Rare souvenirs of the Austrian effort to develop their distant territory. **VF.** **($700-900)**

3207 **Port of Havana Docks Company (Cuba-ME).** 1911. **$100** (£20, 504 Frs), bond, Cs. Gr. bl. WS. Harbor view, old warship. Stamped. **EF.** **($60-80)**

3208 **Oklahoma & Kansas Group. [] 11 Oklahoma 11 Oil and Gas certificates; three railway bonds. [] Missouri-Kansas-Tex-as R.R. Co.** 25 items; 4 different certificates, 5 other R.R.'s, 4 oil companies, a mausoleum and farming company, a stray Gil certificate formerly of Colorado, changed to Wyoming, a city of Providence bond and a Wabash (IN) Magnetics Inc. share certificate. This last is signed by the registered owner, Myron Cohen, the comedian. All put up in a nice book. Average: **VF-EF. 52 Pcs.** **($300-Up)**

3209 **State of Montana Series.** January 1, 1880 Bonds. [] **$500,** bk, go, gr. New Northwest Lith Agency. Identical design with the cave, mining shaft, left; train, center. Part of a miniscule issue of $70,000 authorized by an emergency act of the Territorial Legislature. The bond could be redeemed 3 years later but was not to be redeemed more than 10 years later. Issued to clean up some earlier 10% notes. We sold a $1,000 of this issue in Lot 776 of our New York 80 auction where it brought $275 on the floor; a $500 in lot 6132 of our Affleck sale (1983) which brought $125. Unissued, remnants of indent at left. **Unc. 2 Pcs.** **($200-300)**

3210 **Compagnie de Colonisation Americaine (France-U.S.).** 1820. 1 share (1300 Francs - 100 acres of land in Virginia or Kentucky) dividend warrants on sides. The company owned or had the right to purchase 1,849,000 acres. 349,000 acres were reserved as bonuses for would be settlers; to secure two sets of share holders. Those of Series A 3000 shares No.1-3000 of 1,300 frs each were to bear interest at 6% and were to be redeemed in 1821. Their proceeds were to be used to develop the land. The Series B bonds of which this is a part (#4222 of 12000 to be issued) were not to bear a coupon (though warrants **are** attached), but could exchange them for 100 acres of good land, 200 acres mediocre land and 300 acres of inferior land. Trimmed. **EF.** **($200-300)**

3211 **State of Louisiana.** 1828/1866. **$1000** extended bond with coupons, (Cr.28c). Due 1843, extended. **EF,** usual frayed coupon edges. **($150-200)**

3212 **Louisiana State Bond, Consolidated Assn.** 1836, **$1000,** Coriswell 36c. It is signed by Governor White, and by Treasurer F. Gardner. Complete with coupon sheet adhered to back of bond in one spot; trimmed into borders. **F-VF.** **($90-120)**

3213 **State of Mississippi** 1833, **$1000** Cu. Letter F Series, not listed in Coriswell. This issue was sold in London, as interest payments were to be remitted to Thomas Wilson & Co., whose agent has signed the bond. Chink missing in left margin, weak at folds, else **EF.** **($120-180)**

3214 **State of Mississippi** 1833. **$1000** bond due 1857. SImilar to Criswell 3lc. This bond was issued to privide state funds for the Planters Bank of the State of Mississippi. There were 4 series, A to D, totalling $2 million in groups of $500,000 each due 1841, 1846, 1851 and 1856. In 1832 the legislature ordered a further issue of $3 million of bonds Series E and F due in 1861 and 1866 respectively. This bond, part of 1,500 ($1,500,000) issued of F series is **extremely rare** as most of the certificates are impounded in Europe. In 1841 the bonds which the bank had hitherto paid went into default. Subsequently, the bank disappeared, leaving the state with nothing to show for a $2 million debt. Since the Union Bank bonds had various legal deficiencies as regards their mode of issue, and since the ruined planters were not eager to tax themselves, all these bonds were repudiated. In 1850 Jefferson Davis ran for Governor, pledging to pay the Planters Bank bonds, as having been properly issued, but he was defeated by Henry Foote largely because of his stand on this matter. In 1875 the people ratified an amendment to the state constitution prohibiting the payment of these bonds even though the state courts had declared them to be valid obligations. The 11th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution prohibits suits for debts against the states in the federal courts, so the bond holders are denied any chance of recovery. **F-VF.** A series C bond in lot 140 of our 13th sale brought $1500. This theoretically more available item should bring **($600-900)**

3215 **Mandat de Payment, New Orleans.** 1806. Territorial piece, partially printed, and signed by the Mayor, John Watkins. Aging, otherwise **VF-EF. (Photo)** **($90-120)**

3216 **Mandat de Payments, New Orleans.** Two examples similar to the preceeding lot, but slightly smaller. [] **1821. For $91.50,** some foxing, aging. [] **1825. $3.25 for salaries,** aging and separated at folds which have been taped at the back. Both signed by Mayor. **F-VF. 2 Pcs.** **($90-110)**

3217 **State of Louisiana Loan to the Citizens Bank of Louisiana.** 1836. $444.44/£100/1200 Guilders. Not listed in Criswell, but a fine early bond, signed by Governor White, the Secretar of State and the State Treasurer. With a Dutch tax stamp, one coupon and stamped cancelled. **VF.** **($150-250)**
A recently traded specimen sold for $400.

3218 **Citizens Bank of Louisiana.** 1839. Typeset form printed by Brusele of Lesseps. Receipt for money paid on 453 shares of stock to D. Kemp, the stockholder, as a loan, secured by mortgages and with loan repayment coupons attached. An unusual and interesting piece. **VF-EF.** **($150-200)**

3219 **Mexican Gulf Railway Co. (LA).** 1840. **$1000** bond. 6%, E. Johns & Co., N.O. Signed by A.B. Roman (1795-1866) as governor (1831-35; 1839-43) who rammed through legislation making the Louisiana banks the soundest in the nation and helped establish the first public schools in the state. The bond was issued to the City Bank of New Orleans. By 1861 the line ran from New Orleans to Proctorville near Lake Maurepas, prevented by swamps from reaching the Gulf. It was torn up in 1862 to furnish iron for Confederate ships. All coupons clipped off, slash cancelled. As in auction 13, when a similar piece fetched $90. Less than twenty five of these are known. Rare, early and fine. **VF-EF.** **($90-150)**

3220 **Mississippi Valley Levee Company (LA)** Ca 1870. 50 shares, signed with a notation on the back that the certificate is a receipt "against the company for the full value of the stock for which it calls". Its formal issue was contingent on a charter being granted by the State. Blue typset, folded, with light staining at the right, but nonetheless a new variety and an interesting subject. **F-VF.** **($50-90)**

3221 **Botanist and Bridge.** Wallabout & Brooklyn Toll-Bridge Company. (NY). 1805. 5 shares. Typeset by Robinson of Brooklyn, fancy wax seal at left. Payable to William Prince (1766-1842) Horticulturalist and Botanist who lived in Flushing, Prince Street there named for him. Payment receipts on the back, notation by Prince that all the shares were sold. Striking example and the first we have seen. Fold splits, nicely repaired with tape on verso. **VF.** **($100-175)**

3222 **South Carolina.** [] **Bank of Charleston,** 1862, (CSA issues) three share certificates, some glue stains, aging ink corrosion, but good for this issue. **F-VF.** [] **Maine and River Phosphate Co.,** 1883, **100 shares** with ship. **EF-Unc.** []**Charleston City Ry.** 1890, two share certificates, pink, about **F-VF. 6 Pcs.** **($90-140)**

3223 **Extremely Rare Unlisted Territorial Bond.** **($450-650)**
Extraordinary double bond. [] **Territory of FL,** 1835. **$1000** bond, Cu. Typeset. Series B. Due in 1860. Signed by Jn. H. Eaton (1790-1851) early Jackson supporter. U.S. Senator (TN) 1819-28; U.S. Secretary of War (1829-31). The social quarrel over his wife, Peggy Eaton caused a breach between Calhoun and Jackson and made Martin Van Buran President. Eaton was the Governor of Florida (1847-6), U.S. Minister to Spain (1836-40). C.H. Austin was Treasurer of Florida all the way to the Civil War, Signing State notes in 1862. Blank endorsement on the back signed by John Gamble as President and John Parkhill as Cashier. [] **Agreement form setting forth the fact that the bond has been sold to the Phoenix Bank in New York and allowing the Phoenix Bank to rediscount the bonds in London and to pay the interest there to Thomas Wilson and Company.** In 1833 the Union Bank of Florida was chartered with a capital of $1 million, later raised to $3 million. There being no local capital for a bank, the Territorial legislature authorized the issue of $1 million of bonds (Series A) which the bank was to sell and use the proceeds as capital. In turn, the bank was to pay interest and principal by selling its own stock and from earnings. Two series were issued A (1-500) and B (1-500) issued in 1855 and 1860 respectively. Subsequently another 1.5 million in bonds (Series C, D, E) were illegally sold in Europe for $1.3 million. The Union Bank's so called capital consisted entirely of stock notes (many not to be paid for twenty years), mortgages on over assessed lands and other worthless considerations. In the meantime the bonds all drifted to Europe, where the high coupon rate and high credit of the United States made them very attractive. After the crashes of 1837, 1839 and 1841, the planters, the Bank and the Territory were all ruined and the bank went into default. Subsequently the bonds were repudiated as having been inproperly issued by the Territory in the first place. Appeals to Congress by Baring Brothers on behalf of the European creditors met with no response; the bonds are now formally repudiated at the state level and because of the 11th Ammendment, suits for debt against the State of Florida cannot be enterained in the Federal Court. This double bond has the usual rough and frayed edges with petty fold splits, **VF.**

3224 **Insurance Company of the State of Pennsylvania.** 1795, two receipts for transfer of stock. One is made out to Samuel Blodgett, the son (please see lot 3176) and signed by Kearny Wharton, a nice association of names. **2 Pcs.** **($65-90)**

3225 **William Waldorf Astor.** Trustee, signs verso of The Harlem River and Portchester R.R. 1877, **$5000** bond registered to the trustees for John J. Astor. The Waldorf Astoria was named for this Astor. Handsome bond, orange and black, train vignette, punch cancelled, but not touching endorsements. **EF.** **($120-150)**

3226 **Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Ry.** 1902. **$10,000** bond. Red, black, ABN with station and F.W. Vanderbilt vignettes. The bond is registered to J. Roosevelt Roosevelt and other trustees for Caroline W. Astor and he has signed separate bond power. Very few of these bonds were found and this is the only one with a signed power. A good association of family names. **EF.** **($125-180)**

3227 **+New York and Harlem Rail Road Co.** 1872. 100 shares common stock, the classic piece, ABN. The famous train under bridge vignette as well as sailors and the guard dog, imprinted revenue "stamp redeemed". It is signed by W.H. Vanderbilt as president, with no holes punched in the signature, and by Cornelius Vanderbilt, his son, as trasfer agent. Issued to Vermilye & Co. one of the great trading firms of the day, it combines many desirable attributes. **EF.** **($450-750)**

3228 **Allegheny Valley Street Railway (PA).** 1906. 500 shares, green, gold seal. Issued to A(ndrew) W. Mellon, and signed by him on verso, and signed by two other Mellon family members as president and treasurer. Andrew Mellon was banker industrialist, Secretary of the Treasury. **($175-250)**

3229 **Allegheny Valley Street Railway (PA).** 1908. 500 shares as last lot, issued to W.L. Mellon, who also signs as president; signed on verso as well. **EF.** **($100-150)**

3230 **+Staten Island Rail Road Company (NY).** 1864. 50 shares, train, steamboat "Richmond" vignettes (Hosford & Co), adhesive revenue stamp and signed by William H. Vanderbilt. Vanderbilt was appointed as receiver in 1861 but was discharged in 1864 when the debts were paid off and J.H. Vanderbilt resumed presidency until a second bankruptcy in 1871, after which he continued as president to 1884 suggesting that he was making the best of a bad bargain. Endorsed on the back and transferred to Daniel Drew, the long time railroad associate of the Commodore, whose treachery inspired the famous "I will ruin you" letter. A splendid piece with the punch holes not touching the signature. **EF.** **($900-1200)**

3231 **American Merchants Union Express Company (NY).** 1869. 25 shares, dog, key, wharf scene. Signed by **William G. Fargo** as President. Stamped, punched in 1873. **EF.** **($200-250)**

3232 **American Express Company (NY).** 1873. 25 shares. Type VI certificate. Dog and key vignette. Bk, or. ABN. Signed by Wm. G. Fargo. **EF.** **($400-500)**

3233 **St. Croix and Lake Superior Mineral Company (MA).** 1845. 1 share. Typeset, Dutton and Wentworth of Boston. Signed by Robert Rantoul Jr. (1808-1852), Reformer, Senator and Congressman; Rufus Choate (1799-1859), Senator, Congressman; and Caleb Cushing (1800-1879), Congressman, U.S. Minister to China; U.S. Attorney General. Petty Fold splits. **VF-EF.** **($125-175)**

3234 **New York Stock Exchange.** 25 year membership certificate of Myron L. Schaefer ca. 1960's. Black, silver, beautifully framed in electrum colored wood. **($50-80)**

3235 **Panama-Pacific International Exposition (US-CA).** 1915. Gold Medal Certificate awarded to George W. Buchanan of Peekskill, N.Y. "as collaborator in the Exhibit of The Standard Oil Co". Autograph signature of Chas. H. Green, Chief of Department (all others are engraved). A magnificent certificate by "C.A. Huston Del" and "M.W. Baldwin Sculp". Engraved and printed at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing in Washington. Columbus, Balboa, ships, tritons, 3 females on a platform, dates of construction of the canal (1904-1915) on the base. **($100-150)**

3236 COLLIS P. HUNTINGTON ITEMS. [] **Newport News and Mississippi Valley Company.** (CT) - 1888. 100 shs dividend warrants below. ABN, gr, bk. Autograph signature as President of Collis P. Huntington (California "big four" rail magnate, developer of Newport News, for which this firm was founded) whose cynical views of morality ("an honest politician is one who when bought stays bought" and "we have the best judges and legislators that money can buy"), brought himself and all the robber barons into disrepute. Punched, **EF** [] **Picture of Huntington** with his signature. [] **Letter on Central Pacific R.R. Co. stationary. (NY).** 1879. From Huntington to Gilbert Bush & Co. of Troy, NY giving orders about coaches being built for his road. Signed by Huntington. **VF.** All enclosed in a superb wood and cloth matting enclosed within a guilded wood frame. **($500-850)**

3237 **United States Centenial International Exposition. (1776-1876). US-PA.** 1876. 3 shares. Lovely and superbly engraved 20 x 12 1/2 inch certificate engraved by The Bureau of Engraving and Printing. Quite aged, waterstained with at least four long splits in the body of the certificate and thus no where near so fine as lot 192 of our 14th sale which sold for $1100. Contained in a frame. **Fair-F.** **($200-300)**

3238 **Spanish American War Item.** United States of America. 1898. **$20** bond, Cu. Act of June 13, 1898 (due 1918). 2% loan for the Spanish American War. No. 27135. Re, br, bk. One of only three complete bonds known to us. Attractively double glass framed and matted with the back fully visible. A mangled bond with only one coupon (lot 71 of Smythe's 12th sale) brought $325. This specimen is eminently more desirable. **($850-1250)**

3239 **Missouri, Kansas and Texas Ry Company. (MO-KS-TX).** 1880. 100 shares certificate. ABN, gr, bk. Signed in person by Jay Gould (Financier and scoundrel) as President. Stamp and punch cancelled. Also an engraved portrait of Gould by Williams, printed by the New York History Co. Both superbly mounted, matted and framed. The certificate is **EF** or better. ***($400-600)**

Standard Oil "Triple"

3240 **Standard Oil Co. (OH).** 1881. One share. Usual certificate, registered to John D. Rockafeller Sr. signed by him on the certificate, the attched stub, and on the back; thus very rare and desirable thus. Also endorsed by Henry M. Flager (Florida East Coast Line etc) as Secretary on the left, with additional text on the stub in his hand. **EF.** **($3750-Up)**

3241 **Commercial Company of Barcelona. (SPAIN).** c. 1750. **Unissued share certificate.** (Each share cost 250 Pesos or Spanish Milled Dollars.) Lavishly illustrated with the Virgin Mary, Jesus surrounded by Saints, Martyrs, Churchmen; the arms of the Bourbon house of Spain are at the left (Elder line, ending with Ferdinand VI in 1760), the arms of Catalonia are on the right. There is an elaborate scene of the Barcelona harbor surrounded by Cupids at the bottom. Engraved by Emmanuel Tramillos (lower left); the printer's name is too trimmed on the right to be deciphered.
The company was part of the Bourbon program of reviving the torpid Spanish economy by checking monopolies, promoting enterprise, improving the balance of trade so as to keep capital in the country. Formerly lot 452 in the Frankfurt Auction (March 1984) where it brought $2000 plus 15 %. Dismounted crudely with remnants on the back. Soiled. **Fine-VF.** **(Photo)** ***($1500-Up)**

Jubilee Jim

3242 **Photograph of Jim Fisk.** This 5 x 4 inch photograph shows Wall Street's bad boy mounted on a barrel (complete with saddle!) wearing the uniform of a corporal in a Polish-type lancer unit. Since Fisk is reported to have stated that like the "Erie RR locomotives, I always have a tender behind", it is not to be wondered at that he sought promotion in his own Fall River steamboat line of which he made himself an Admiral and in whose uniform he entertained President Grant in 1869 while pumping him about gold before the Black Friday gold corner attempt. An extremely rare photo of a great scoundrel.**(Photo)** ***($150-250)**

3243 **Early Photograph of Wall Street. (NY).** c. 1900. Brown, 3 1/2 x 3 1/4 inches, looking up the street from the Government Assay Office (right) towards Trinity Church. Notes that Bankers Trust (1903) and the present Stock Exchange buildings were not yet constructed. Obviously taken in the summer as there is a horse cart sprinkling water at left. Nicely matted **($75-100)**

Disneyland

3244 **Invitational Press Preview Card for the Dedication of Disneyland. (CA). 1 Admission.** Sunday July 17, 1955. 5:30 PM at Anaheim. Gr, bk, re withview of the castle. Map to the amusement park on the back. **New. (Photo)** **($75-125)**

3245 **State of New Jersey. Honorable Testimonial Certificate.** 1866. No imprint but done by ABN as the vignette under Governor Ward was used on Oil City Bank notes by them. Nine fancy vignettes, the state seal, etc. Issued to John W. Romaine, Co. A. 86 NJ Volunteers by order of the legislature March 27, 1866 as a token of appreciation for those who served in the War. There is surface splitting, water staining, petty bald spots and fold splits. Trimming around the sides, down to and into the border. **F-VF.** **($65-100)**

3246 **Washington & Western RR Company. (VA).** 1882. **$1000** bond Cu, br, bk. HLB. Defaulted before the first payment and therefore complete. This road ran from Alexandria to Purcellville (home of the Wright Brothers) where the mountains blocked it. Its successor, the Washington and Old Dominion Railroad has ceased to exist and its track was torn up in the mid-1970's. **EF.** **($90-120)**

3247 **Pueblo and Arkansas Valley RR Company. (CO-TERR).** 1876. **$1000.** Go, gr, bk, Henry Seibert, Colorful, with train vignette and two seals. Punched. **VF.** **($100-140)**

3248 **Same,** as preceeding. **($100-140)**

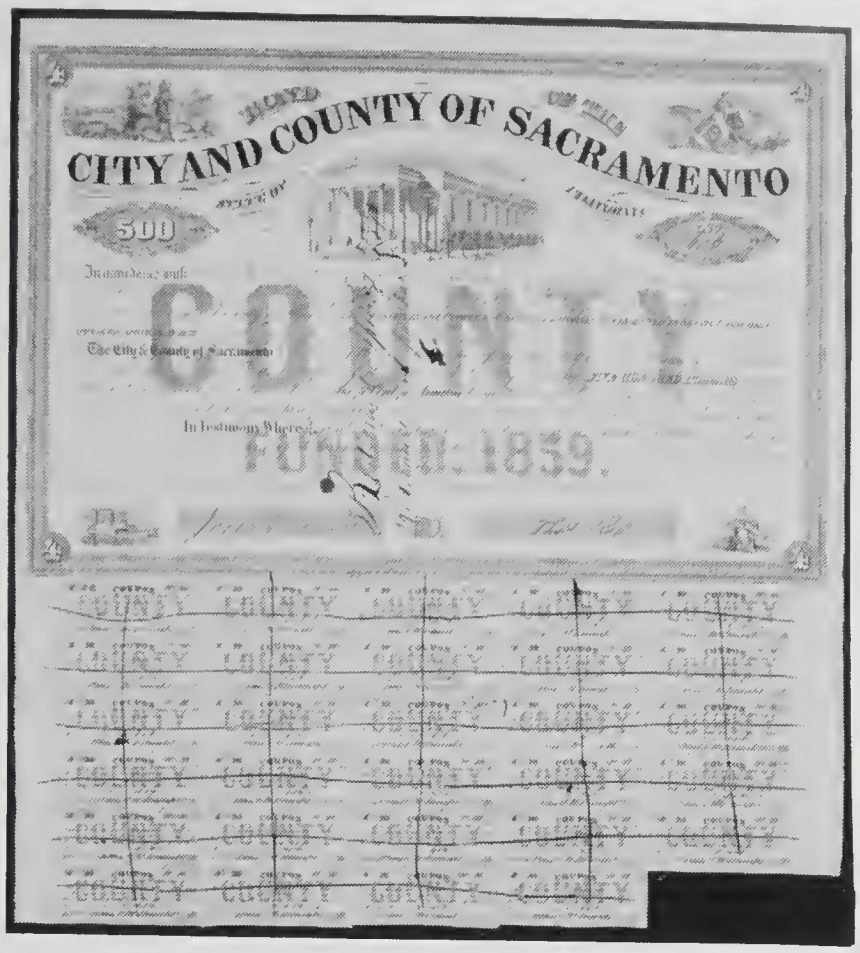
3249 **St. Louis, Lawrence & Denver RR Company. (KS).** 1871. **$1000** bond Cu. R.P. Smedley, St. Louis. Or, bk. Defaulted May 1877. **VF.** **($90-125)**

3250 **Another fine lot,** same as the preceding. **($90-125)**

3251 **South Mountain RR Company, (PA).** 1873. **$100** bond Cu. Re, go, bk. Mountain pass RR scene. Federal and state capitol buildings. **VF.** **($125-160)**

3252 **Atlantic & Pacific RR Company. Western Division. (US).** 1887. **$1000** bond Cu. Br, bk, ABN. Train passes a lake, and an old favorite. punched. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($125-180)**

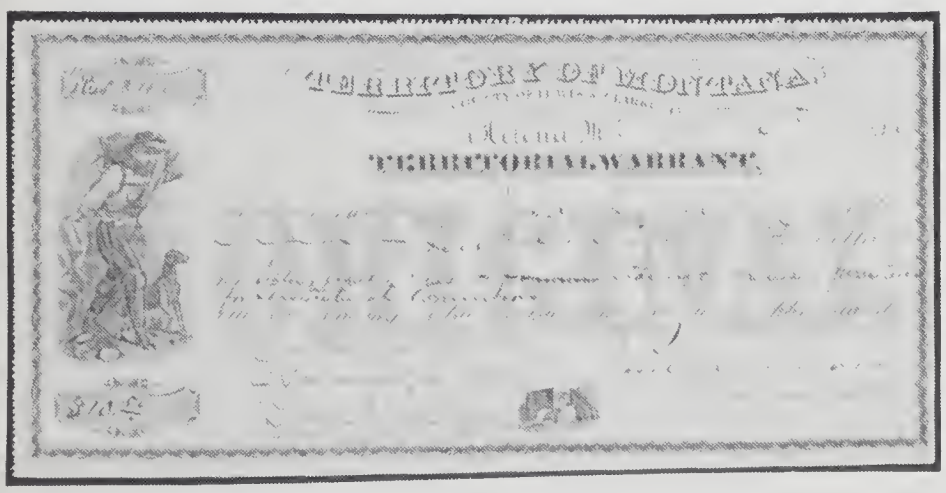
3253 **California Street Cable RR Company. (CA).** 1888. **15 shs.** A. Carlisle & Co, S.F. Bk. Two kinds of cable cars in San Francisco. Issued certificates for this company in nice condition are comparitively rare. Punched, aging in spots. **VF.** **($90-140)**



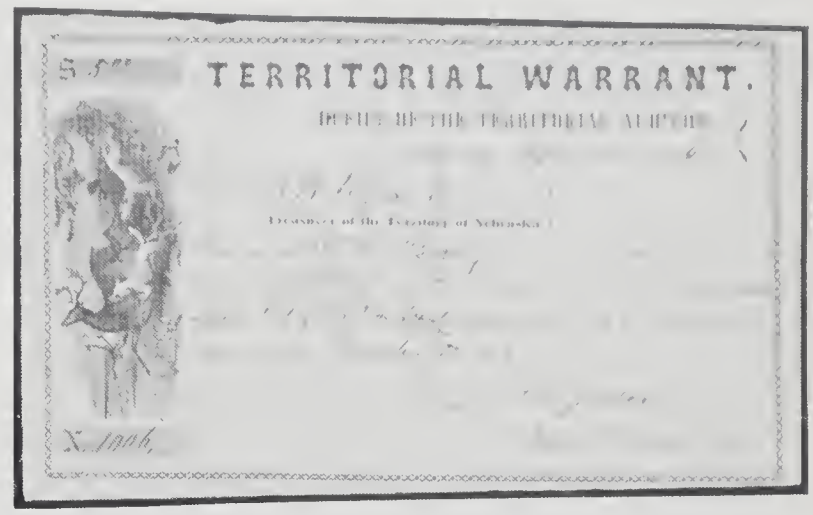
3254 **City & County of Sacamento. (CA).** 1859. $500 bond Cu. Britton & Co., Gr, bk. City Hall, 5 small vignettes. Attractive, and a fine display item. Pen cancelled. **VF. (Photo)** **($125-160)**

3255 **County of Jefferson. (MT-TERR).** 1867, 1872. **$1000** bond Cu. Gr, re, bk, bl seal. Back transfers. **VF.** **($85-120)**

3256 **Territory of Montana.** 1868. **$100** bond Cu. Bl, bk. Montana Democrat Print. Stamped paid (one coupon left - most unusual). **VF.** **($100-150)**



3257 **Montana Territorial Warrant.** 1870s-84. Original warrants for $74.04, $15.20, $540, and $10, one from proceeds of convict labor, the last three for the Territorial Constituitional Convention. Rc, bk. **Unc. 4 Pcs. (Photo)** **($100-140)**

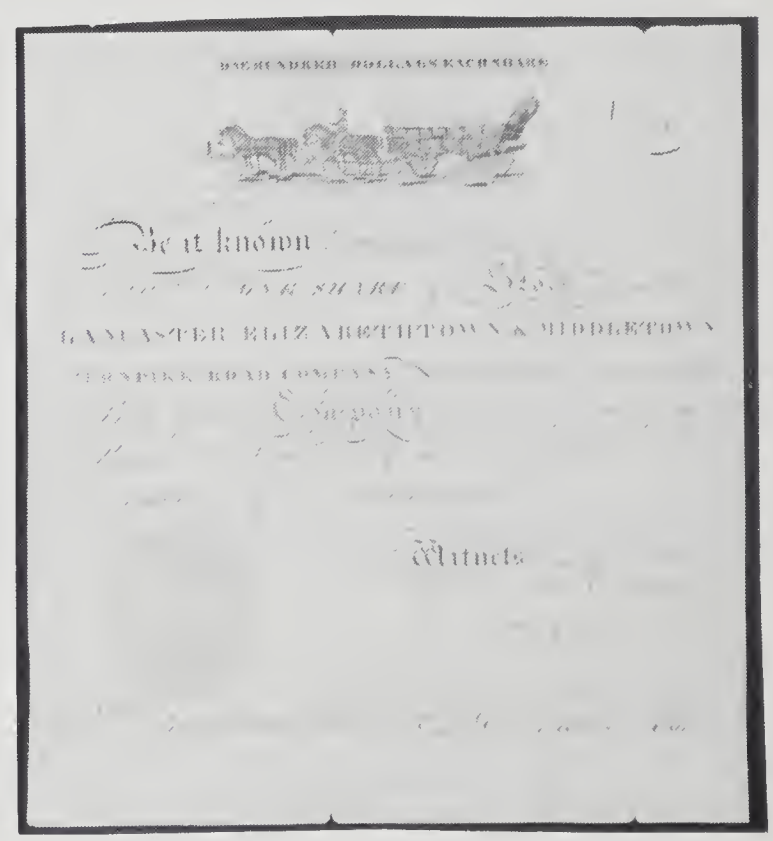


3258 **Territorial Warrant. (NE).** 1860. $5, $10, $23.33. all protested on the back for non-payment due to the absence of funds in the Treasury. Dogs attacking stag vignette at left. **EF** (2), **F-VF.** **($50-100)**

3258 **American River Water and Mining Company Group. (CA).** 1862. **$500** bond Cu. Re, bk typeset. Endorsement on the back has bled through. All coupons are gone, with aging in spots. **No. 78 of only 100 issued.** [] 1855. **1 share.** Britton, S.F. Mercury center. Mormon Island crossed off, "Dotans Bal" written over it. **F-VF, VF. 2 Pcs.** **9$125-175)**

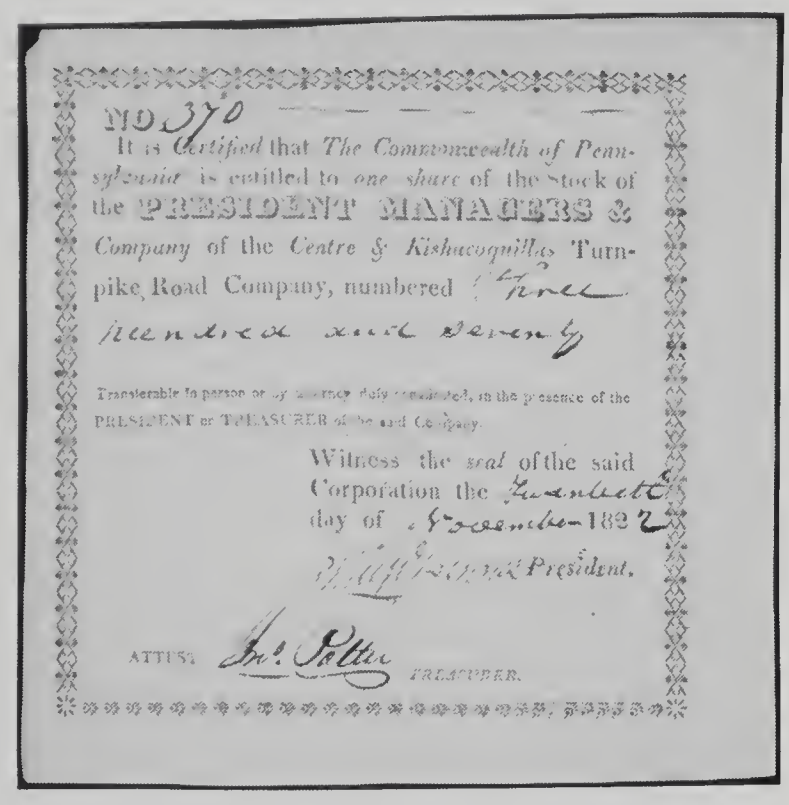
A Selection of Excellent Early Transportation Pieces

3259 **Weaverville & Shasta Wagon Road Company. (CA).** 1860. **1 share.** Kuchel & Dresel's Lith S.F. Conestoga wagon on wood plank bridge. Pen cancelled, grease stain, nipped corner. **VF.** **($125-175)**



3261 **Lancaster, Elizabeth & Middletown Turnpike Company. (PA).** 1827. **1 share.** Vignette of a conestoga wagon. Pay (liquidation dividend) stamps on back, the first being put into liquidation in 1918 with payments for $20 (1918), $40 in 1919 and a final payment of $5 in 1920. Since most such roads failed after a few years, the longevity of this company is to be marvelled at. Long edge splits along the folds. **VF. (Photo)** **($150-250)**

3262 **Selected Plank Road Stocks. [] Burlington and Mount Pleasant Plank Road Company. (IA).** 1851. **10 shs.** Typeset, back endorsements. **[] Mount Pleasant, Trenton, Deedsville and Brighton Plank Road and Bridge Company. (IA).** 1851 **1 share.** Issued to the City of Burlington. Red and blue paper. Triangular white seal at left. These roads were 75 years before their time as it was not until the 1920's that an Iowa Governor was elected on the slogan "Let's get Iowa out of the mud" by paving the roads. **VF-EF.** **($125-165)**


NO 370

It is *Certified* that *The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania* is entitled to *one share* of the Stock of the PRESIDENT MANAGERS & *Company* of the *Centre & Kishacoquillas* Turnpike Road Company, numbered Three hundred and seventy

Transferable in person or by attorney duly constituted, in the presence of the PRESIDENT or TREASURER of the said Company.

Witness the *seal* of the said Corporation the Twentieth day of December 1822

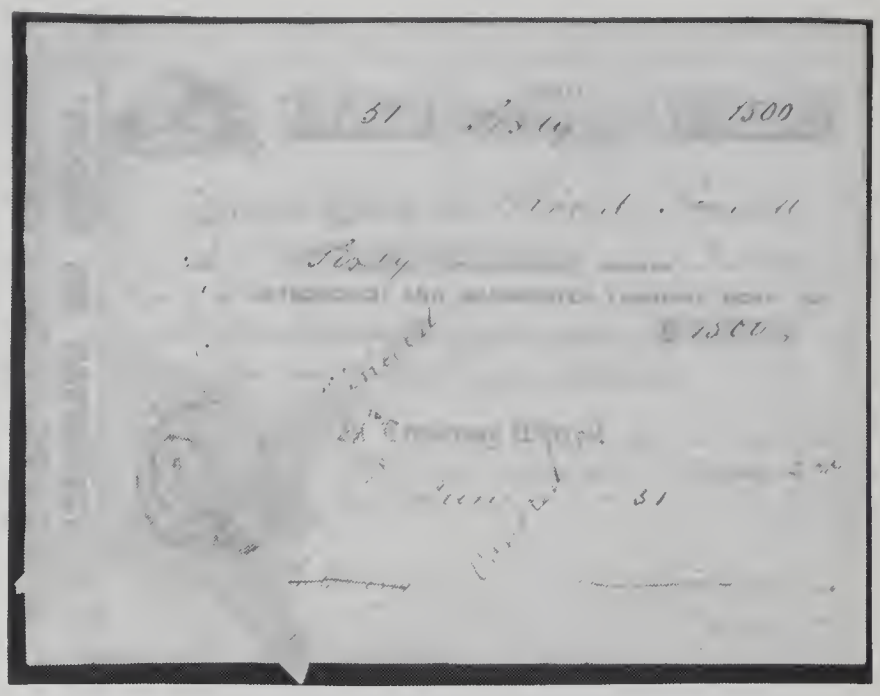
President.

ATTEST Jno Potter TREASURER.

3263 **Pennsylvania Turnpike Stocks. [] Centre and Kishacoquillas Turnpike Road Company.** 1822. **1 share.** Typeset, payable to the Commonwealth of Pa. Parper folded as made, light aging. **[] Centre Turnpike Road.** 1809. **1 share.** Payable to the Commonwealth (PA). Signed by Joseph Priestly as President, he being the son of Joseph Priestly (1733-1804), the scientist, who settled in Pennsylvania in 1794 and whose son, the signer of this document had preceeded his father to America to pave the way for his parents who settled at Northumberland (where a Priestly museum still stands) near Centre and its turnpike. Left edge splits, petty edge folding at right. Both with fancy embossed corporate seals. **Unc, AU. 2 Pcs. (Photo)** **($200-300)**

3264 **York and Gettysburg Turnpike. (PA).** 1821. **1 share.** Typeset, usual corporate seal. Payable to the Commonwealth. Dove watermark. **Unc.** **($90-120)**

3265 **Bedford and Stoystown Turnpike Company. (PA).** 1817. **1 share.** (3 certificate Nos. 412 through 414 on one sheet). Typeset. Transferred at left. Finger smudge, lower right. The sheet is **VF-EF** due to gutter folds, each certificate is **Unc.** **($150-200)**



3266 **Hatborough and Warminster Turnpike Road Company. (PA).** 1851. **60 shs.** All blue certificate with fancy blue star and box shaped seal. Pen cancelled, water stained, soiled on the back. **F-VF. (Photo)** **($85-120)**

3267 **Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe RR Company. (KS).** 1889. **$500** bond Cb. ABN, or, bk. Punch and stamp cancelled. 1890. A new example, the first time at this auction, and a fine looking piece. Three cut outs at top left. **VF.** **($80-120)**

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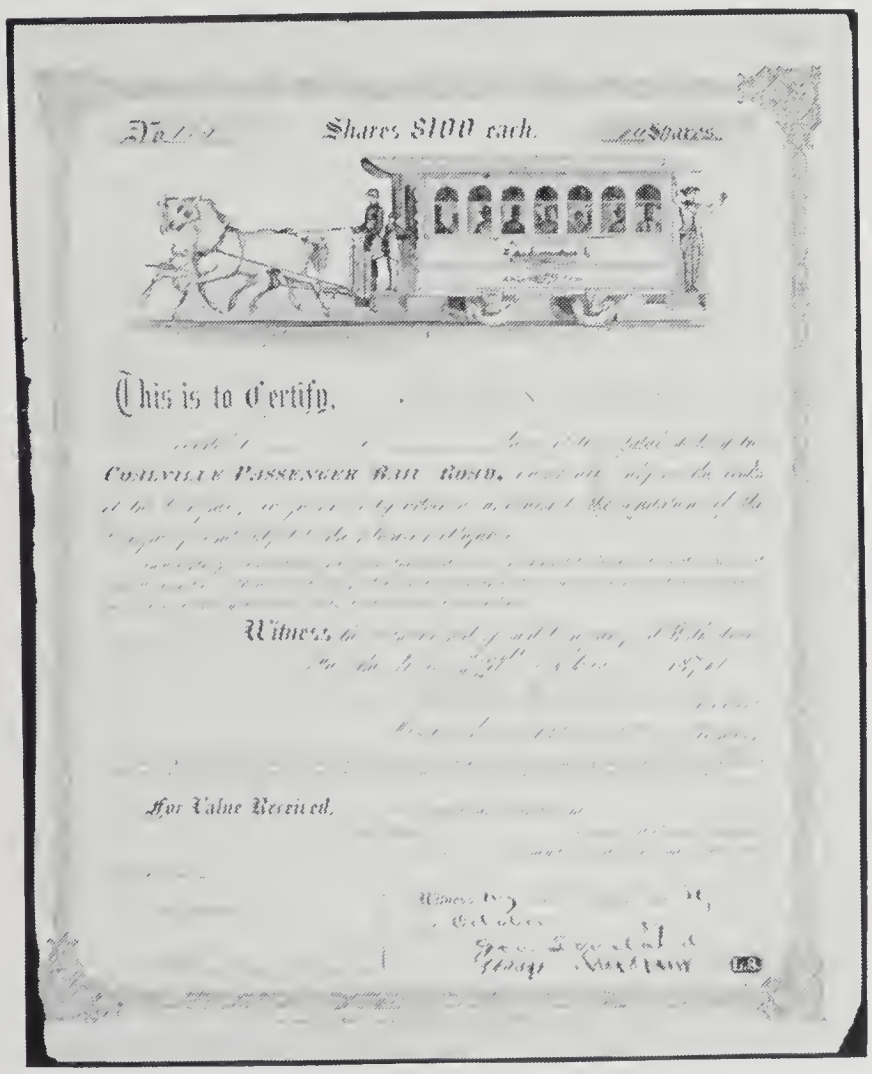
3268 **Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Group. [] $10,000** regd bond. 1889. HLB. Re, bk, gr, certificate. Punch and stamp cancelled. **[] $100** bearer interim certificate. 1894. HLB, gr,bk. Punch, stamp, cut out cancelled. **VF. 2 Pcs. (Photo)** **($90-120)**

3269 **Proof Southern Railroad Engravings on Card. [] Ohio Southern Cincinnati Company** heading. **[] Rock Island, Arkansas and Louisiana RR Company Registered Trust Mortgage Fifty Year Gold Bond** heading. **[] St. Louis, Arkansas & Texas Ry Companies $1000 1st Mortgage Six Per Cent Gold Certificate** bond cover panel. FBN, gr. **[] Rio Grande, Western Ry Co. 1st Mortgage** bond heading. **[] St. Louis and San Francisco Ry Co.** train vignette heading. **[] Quincy, Omaha & Kansas City (MO). $1000** bond, gr, bk. Bottom edge tear. **[] Short Creek and Joplin RR Co. (KS) $1000** bond heading (top of bond complete). **Unc. 7 Pcs.** **($75-115)**

3270 **Poughkeepsie City and Wappinger's Falls Electric Ry Company (NY).** 1894. **$1000** bond, Cu. Gr, bk, FBN, beautiful vignette, quite rare, as it was part of a $500,000 issue only $404,000 was ever outstanding at any one time (new bonds were issued to until the road was completed, hence No. 468 here. The company was in profitable condition when last reported in Poors in 1912 so that the January 103 coupon does not prove default at that time. A highly desirable piece. **EF-Unc.** **($200-250)**

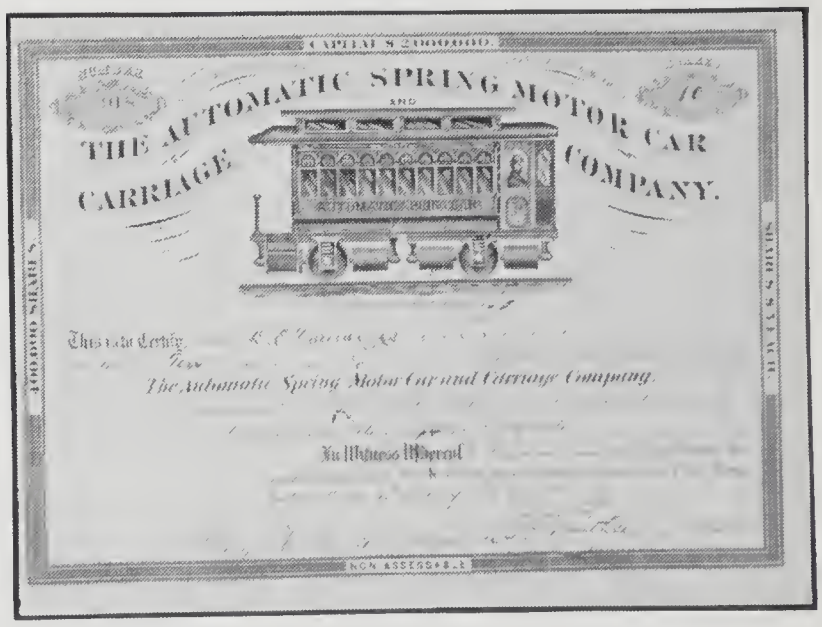
3271 **Selected Passenger Ry Securities. [] Troy & Lansingburgh RR Company (NY).** 1873. **$1000** bond, Cu, No. 52 of 150 issued. Punch and stamp cancelled typeset bond with horse drawn car, center. **[] Wilkes-Barre & Kingston Passenger Ry. Co. (PA).** 1872. **50 shs.** Re, bl typeset. Horse drawn car at center. Pen cancelled. Left edge bald area. **[] New Haven & West Haven Horse RR Co. (CT.** 1878. **14 shs.** Typeset. Sailor, horse drawn car. Pen cancelled. **3 Pcs.** **($150-200)**



3272 **A Further Selection of Horse Drawn Urban Transit Companies. [] Coalville Passenger RR.** 1874/89. **10 shs.** Typeset. Horse car vignette. Corners clipped, stamp cancelled. **[] Phillipsburg Horse Car RR Co. (NJ).** 1873. **20 shs.** Typeset. Same car vignette as last (no imprint) but clearly also an Allen, Lane & Scott Railrod and Merchantile Ptrs. of Phila. product. **2 Pcs. (Photo)** **($100-150)**

Please note that a 10% buyers charge will be added to each lot purchased on all purchases.

3273 **A Superb Collection of Horse Drawn Passenger RR Car Companies Chiefly From Philadelphia. [] West Philadelphia Passenger RR Check. $3,030.18.** 1869. Re, gr. **[] Fairmont University and Ferries Street RR (CA).** 1888. Berkeley form by Britton, with Horse car. Unissued. **[] Rome City Street Ry. (NY).** 188 . Blank share certificate by ABN, with horsecar. **[] Utica & Mohawk RR Co. (NY).** 1874. Unissued, horsecar vignette. **[] Ridge Avenue Passenger Railway Car (PA).** 18 . Unissued share certificate. Bk on pi paper. **[] Newport & Dayton Street RR Co. (OH).** 1880's. Typeset. Horsecar vignette. **[] Stamford Street RR Co. (CT).** 1890. **4 shs.** Bk, gr. HLB. Punch and stamp cancelled. **[] Frankford & Southwark Philadelphia City Passenger RR Co. (PA).** 1901. **10 shs.** ABN. Stamp and punch cancelled. **[] Philadelphia RR Co. (PA).** 19 . Horsecar vignette. Unissued. **[] Deerfield and Utica RR Co. (NY).** 18 . Unissued share certificate. Horsecar vignette. **[] Union Passenger Ry Co. (PA).** 1913. **4 shs.** ABN. Six vignette litho. 1932 reorganization stamp. **[] State Street Horse RR Co. (CT).** 1817 . Unissued New Haven share certificate, with stub. **[]Easton, South Easton and West End Passenger Ry Co. (PA).** 1886. **500 shs.** Horsecar vignette. Pen cancelled. No. 8, made out to the President, H.A. Saye, endorsed by him on the back, with stub. **[] Utica and Mohawk Street RR Co. (NY).** 1871. Horsecar "Bleecker & South Streets" vignette. **[] Baltimore and Yorktown Turnpike Road Co. (MD).** 1863. **5 shs.** A. Hoen, litho. MD arms, horsecar and connestoga wagon vignettes. Glue stains. **[] Charleston City Ry Co. (SC).** 1890. **13 shs.** Red. Weco. Pen cancelled. **[] The West Philadelphia Passenger Ry Co. (PA). 3 shs, 10 shs (2).** D.M. Hogan. Horsecar vignette. Water stained and soiled. **[] Second and Third Street Passenger Ry Co. (PA).** 1859. **5 shs (2), 50 shs.** T. Sinclair. Building, horsecar, center. Pen cancelled, ink stained. **[] Green & Coates Street Philadelphia Passenger Ry Co. (PA).** 1863. Glue stains at left; a large crudely effected cut out. **23 Pcs. VF or Unc.** **($300-400)**



3274 **Locomotive And Street Car Production Works Stocks. [] Jersey City Locomotive Works (NJ).** 1858. **$1000** bond No 11. The personal real estate of the directors was pledged in payment. Typeset. Train, state arms. **[] Automatic Spring Motor Car and Carriage Co.(NJ).** 1885. **10 shs.** Fancy picture of a street car. **2 Pcs. VF. (Photo)** **($75-125)**

3275 **Passenger Car Producers. [] Woodruff, Steeping and Parlour Coach Co. (PA).** 1874.**13 shs.** ABN litho. 5 vignettes. Fold splits and soiling. **[] Wagner Palace Car Company (NY).** 1890. **10 shs.** ABN. Br, bk. Train, scenes of the Old Grand Central and PA RR Terminals. Punch cancelled. **[] NY Central Steeping Car Co. (NY).** 1880. **1639 shs.** Hatch Co. litho. Train vignette and endorsed by Chauncy DePew as attorney for Maria Louisa Clark. Pen and punch cancelled. **3 Pcs.** **($140-170)**

3276 **Upstate NY RR Shares.** [] **Elvira, Jefferson & Canondaigua RR Co.** 1859. **407 shs.** Pu. E.B. Clayton. Train vignette. No. 10 certificate, pen cancelled. Piece torn off top left, right edge glue stains. [] **Albany Ry.** 1875. **25 shs.** Weed, Parsons certificate. Horsecar vignette. Payable to and endorsed by Robert H. Pruyn (1815-82). Diplomat (Minister to Japan 1861-8). Metropolitan Museum Trustee etc. Stub glued at left. **2 Pcs. VF.** **($110-170)**

3277 **NY Traction Company Certificates.** [] **Coxsackie and Greenville Traction Co.** 1899. **$1000** bond (Cb). Gr, bk. Street car vignette. Fold splits and edge chinks. [] **Overland Traction Engine Company.** 1865. **100 shs.** Hosford and Ketcham. Curious steam engine vignette. U.S. Revenue stamp removed at left. **2 Pcs. Fine, VF.** **($130-180)**

3278 **A New England Railroad Lot.** [] **Concord and Claremont RR (NH).** 1849. **1 sh.** Typeset on blue paper. [] **New Hampshire Central Railroad Company (NH).** 1849. **3 shs.** Typeset on blue paper, red seal at left. [] **New London, Willimantie and Palmer RR Co. (CT).** 1850. **1 sh.** Typeset on blue paper, red seal at left. Ink stains. **3 Pcs. VF-EF.** **($150-200)**

3279 **Northeastern Railroad Securities.** [] **Albany Schenectady RR Co. (NY).** 1848. **$500** bond (Cs). Typeset. Pen cancelled, punched, roughly cut right edge. [] **Troy and Bennington RR Co. (NY).** 1853. **2 shs.** Typeset, pen cancelled. [] **Androsgoggin and Kennebec RR Co. (ME).** 1853. **$600** (rare denomination) stock bond. Bore interest but was convertible into 6 shares and was part of a 2000 series. Punched, ink stains. **3 Pcs. VF.** **($175-240)**

3280 **A Choice Group of Scarce Massachusetts Railroad Securities.** [] **Sullivan RR Co.** 1848. **55 shs.** RWHE. 4 vignette certificate. [] **Northern RR.** 1846-7. **30 shs., 3 shs.** Typeset on blue paper with a red seal. Latter, aged with a body tear, a body hole and edge splits. [] **Franklin and Bristol RR.** 1848. **23 shs.** Typeset on blue paper. Red seal at left. Pen cancelled. [] **Boston and Providence RR Corp.** 1842. **18 shs.** RWH. 2 vignette certificate. [] **Old Colony RR Corp.** 1848. **$1000** bond (Cu). Bk on blue paper, vermillion seal at left, train vignettes. [] **Dorchester and Milton Branch RR Co.** 1858. **$100** bond (Cu). **7 Pcs.** **($300-400)**

3281 **Upper New England RR Shares.** [] **Vermont Central RR Co.** 1850. **10 shs.** RWH. 4 vignette certificate. Signed as President by Charles Paine (1799-1853). Manufacturer, VT Governor, builder of the VT Central RR. [] **Rutland & Burlington RR Co.** 1850. **5 shs.** RWHE. 4 vignette certificate. Blue seal at left. [] **Mack Elevated Ry Supply Co.** 1891. **200 shs.** Typeset. **3 Pcs. VF-EF.** **($200-300)**

3282 **Early Boston Railroads.** [] **New York, Providence & Boston RR Co.** 1838. **50 shs.** RWH. 2 vignette certificate. Water stained, pen cancelled. [] **Boston and Providence RR Corp.** 1840. **1 sh.** S. Stiles & Co. A superb example with the steamship and shoreline vignettes. **2 Pcs. F-VF.** **($175-250)**

3283 **Demoines Navigation & Railroad Company Group (MO-IA-MN).** 1854-5. Two issued, one not. Werner & Poor. Train vignette. Two minor glue stains, pen cancelled and aged but good for this issue. **3 Pcs. VF-EF.** **($60-90)**

3284 **Assorted Unissued Railroad And Street Railway Certificates.** [] **Detroit, Monroe and Toledo RR Co. (MI).** 185 . Share certificate. [] **Warren RR Co. (NJ)** 185 . Share certificate. [] **Grand River Valley RR Co. (MI).** 18 . Share certificate. Punched. [] **Utica City RR Co. (NY).** 18 . Certificate. Street car vignette. [] **Same as Last but for the Utica and Waterville RR Co.** [] **Trenton Street Ry Co. (NJ).** 189 . ABN. Gr, bk. Street car vignette. [] **Johnstown, Gloversville and Kingsboro House RR Co. (NY).** 189 . ABN. Litho, Br, Bk. Streetcar vignette. []**Jamestown, Westfield and Northwestern RR Co. (NY).** 19 . SBN. Gr, bk. Streetcar vignette. [] **Lehigh Valley Traction Co. (PA).** 19)). WBN. Br, bk. [] **Utica and Mohawk Valley Ry Co.** 19 . ABN. Gr, bk. Streetcar scene. [] **Tucson Rapid Transit Co. (AR-Terr).** 1906. **$1000** bond (Cb). Bk, bl. [] **Frankford, Tacony & Homesburg Street Ry. Co. (PA).** 19 . SBN. Or, bk. Punched. [] **Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis Electric RR Co. (MD).** 19 . Less than **100 shs.** certificate. NYB. Bl, Bk. [] **Utica Suburban Ry Co. (NY).** 1890's. Gr, bk. [] **Utica Belt Line Street RR Co. (NY).** 1894. Pfd share certificate. Gy, bk. Punched. [] **New Haven and Centreville Street Ry Co. (CT).** 18 . Share certificate. [] **Kennebec & Portland RR Co. (ME).** 1850's. Typeset. Blue on blue. [] **Duluth Street Ry Co. (MN).** 19 . Or, bk. [] **New York and New Jersey Ferry Co. (NJ).** 189 . Re, br, bk. FBN. Litho, punched. [] **Middletown, Highspire and Steelton Street RR Co.** Wm. Mawn. **22 Pcs. VF (1), Unc. (21).** **($150-175)**

3285 **Hestonville, Mantua and Fairmont Passenger Ry** [] 1894. **50 shs.** ABN. Or, bk. Waterstained, punched, stamped, edge deterioration. [] **Receipt form 1894 for first $10 paid on 10 shs.** Br, bk. Punched. [] 1894. **$500** bond (Cb). Br, bk. Punched, extended from 1934 - 1935 stamp. A good set of this issue. **3 Pcs.** **($75-125)**

3286 **Atlantic City & Shore RR (NJ).** 1907. **100 shs.** SBN. Gr, bk. Punched. [] **Doylestown and Willow Grove Ry (PA).** 19 . **100 shs.** EAW. Gr, bk. [] **Richmond Traction Company (VA).** 1895. **$1000** bond. **Proof.** ABN. Ol, bk. Left and right edge tears, cut out at right. **3 Pcs. VF-Unc.** **($100-140)**

3287 **Assorted RR Bonds.** [] **Fort Dodge, Des Moines & Southern RR (IA).** 1808. **$1000** bond Cb. FLB. Or, bk. [] **Darby and Yeardon Street Ry (PA).** 1904. **$1000** bond Cb. ABN. Br-br, bk. Punched, reorganized. [] **Columbus, Marion and Bucyrus Ry (OH).** 1914. **$1000** bond Cb. Gr, bk. [] **Milwaukke, Nothern Ry (WI).** 1907. **$1000** bond Cb. NYBN. Pu-br, bk. Punched, unissued. [] **Grand Rapids, Holland & Lake Michigan Rapid Ry (MI).** 1902. **$1000** bond Cb. Br, bk. Face redemption proviso stamp. [] **Columbia Electric Street Ry, Light and Power Co. (SC).** 1900. **$1000** bond, Cu. Gr, br, bk. Weco. Punched. Fold splits. **6 Pcs. Average VF.** **($200-275)**

3288 **Middlewestern Electrics.** [] **Columbus, Newark and Zonesville Electric Ry (OH).** 1904. **$100** bond Cb. NYBN. Pu, bk. [] **Chicago and South Side Rapid Transit RR (IL).** 1893. **$1000** bond Cb. WBN. Br, bk. [] **Huron, Elgin & Chicago Ry (IL).** 1901. **$1000** bond Cb. WBN, br, bk. Punched. **3 Pcs. VF-EF.** **($120-180)**

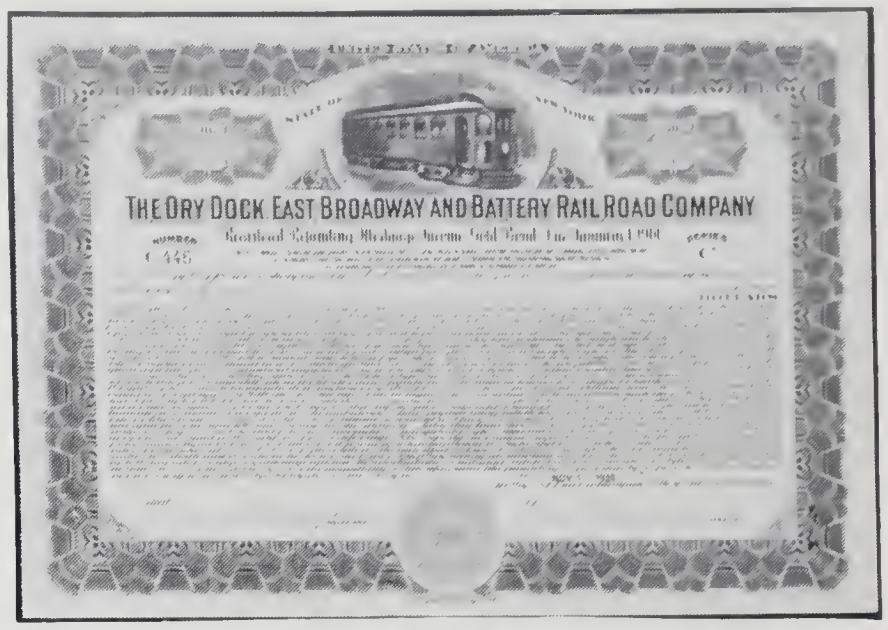
3289 **Assorted Street Railways. [] Fort Pitt Traction (PA).** 1896. **500 shs.** ABN. Re, bk. Punched. **[] Snohomish Valley Ry. (WA).** 1906. **$1000** bond Cu. SBN. Gr, bk. **[] Atlantic Coast Electric Ry. (NJ).** 1898. **50 shs.** FLB. Br, bk. **[] Louisville Ry. (Ky).** 1891. **50 shs.** ABN. Re-br, bk. Punched. **[] New Paltz & Highland Electric RR (NY).** 1893. **$500** bond Cs. Gr, bk. **5 Pcs. (Photo)** **($90-130)**

3290 **California & Nevada Electrics. [] Geary Street Ry (CA).** 1910. **$1000** bond. Gr, bk. Punched. **[] Geary Street Park and Ocean RR (CA).** 1891. **$855.19.** Default payment stamps on face. **[] California Street Cable Railroad (CA).** 1916. **10 shs.** Cable car vignettes. **[] Los Angeles Consolidated Electric Ry. (CA).** 1891. **$1000** bond Cb. Bl, br, gr. Default payment stamp on face. **[] Northern Electric (NV).** 1905. **$1000** bond Cb. WBN. Gr, bk, bl. Default stamp on its face. **[] Watsonville Transportation (CA).** 1904. **$1000** bond Cb. Or, bk. **6 Pcs.** **($200-275)**

3291 **Indiana Traction Companies. [] Louisville and Northern Ry** 19 . Unissued Pfd. CBN. Or, bk. **[] Indianapolis, New Castle and Toledo Electric Ry.** 1905. **$1000** bond Cb. SBN. Or, bk. **[] Terre Haute, Indianapolis and Eastern Traction.** 19 . Common. Pu, bk. ABN. **[] Indianapolis and Martinsville Rapid Transit.** 19 . WBN. Br, bk. **[] Interstate Car Trust Equipment Co.** 1924. Blank share. Bl, bk. **[] Indianapolis, Crawfordsville and Danville Electric Ry.** 19 . Common. U. FLB. Gr, bk. **[] Indianapolis and Louisville Traction.** 19 . RBN. Gr, bk. Unissued. **[] Indianapolis and Northwestern Traction.** 19 . **100 shs.** Pfd. FLB. Br, bk. Not issued. **[] Indianapolis and Western Ry.** 190 . U. ABN. Or, bk. **[] Indianapolis Traction and Terminal Co.** 1910. **100 shs.** Cert. ABN. Pu, Bk. **10 Pcs. Abt. EF-Unc.** **($100-160)**

3292 **Big Apple Street Car Bonds. [] Twenty-third Street Ry.** 1912. **$1000** bond, Cb. ABN. Or, Bk. **[] Thirty-fourth Street Crosstwon Ry.** 1896. **$1000** bond, Cb. IBK. Gy, bk. **[] Broadway Surface Ry.** 1884. **$1000** bond. Re, bk. Stamped. **[] Second Ave. RR.** 1898. **$1000** bond, Cb. IBK. **[] Columbus and 9th Ave. RR.** 1893. **$1000** bond, Cu. IBK. **[] Metropolitan Cross Town RR.** 1890. **$1000** bond, Cu. IBK. **6 Pcs. VF-EF.** **($200-300)**

3293 **More NY Traction Stocks. [] Christopher & 10th St. RR.** 1921. **2 shs.** ABN. **[] Central Cross Town RR.** 1914. **100 shs.** Kendall Banknote Co. Bl, bk. **[] Manhattan Transit.** 1910. **50 shs.** IBK. Blue London notary public seal on back. **[] Broadway and Seventh Ave. RR.** 1915. **7 shs. [] Brooklyn-Manhattan Transit Corp.** 1941. **100 shs.** Quale & Son, Albany. **[] Brooklyn and Queens Transit Co.** 1940. **100 shs. [] Bleeker St and Fulton Ferry RR.** 1911. **100 shs. [] Interboro Consolidated.** 1919. **100 shs.** ABN. **[] NY Rys Participation Corp.** 1926. Trust certificate. Punched, distribution stamps. **9 Pcs. Abt. VF.** **($150-200)**



3294 **Dry Dock, East Broadway and Battery RR. (NY).** 1926. **$4100** bond, (regd). RBN. Gr, bk. Trolley car. A superb example, which we have never seen before. **VF-EF. (Photo)** **($75-125)**

3294A **Interborough Rapid Transit (IRT) Specimens. (NY).** 1922. **[] $100** bond, Cs. ABN. Br, bk. **[]$500** bond, Cs. ABN. Or, bk. **[] $1000** bond, Cb. ABN. Gr, bk. All crisp, fine. **3 Pcs. Unc. (Photo)** **($150-250)**

3295 **+Brooklyn Beauties. [] Brooklyn Rapid Transit Co.** 1914. **55 shs.** FLB. Br, bk. Punched and stampled. **[] Brooklyn and Rockaway Beach RR.** 1865. **$1000** bond, Cu. Typeset. Cories and Macy. Splits. **[] NY and Long Island RR.** Unissued stock cert. **[] Brooklyn Union Elevated RR.** 1899. **2 shs.** ABN. Ol, bk. Brooklyn Bridge vignette. Punched. **[] Jamaica and Brooklyn Road Co.** 1894. **9400 shs.** Typeset. Voided out before signature. Punched. **[] Kings County Elevated RR.** Unissued. ABN. Or, bk. **[] Sea Beach RR.** Unissued. Gr, bk. **[] New York and Coney Island RR.** 18 . Unissued, with map of RR. **8 Pcs. VF-Unc.** **($125-200)**

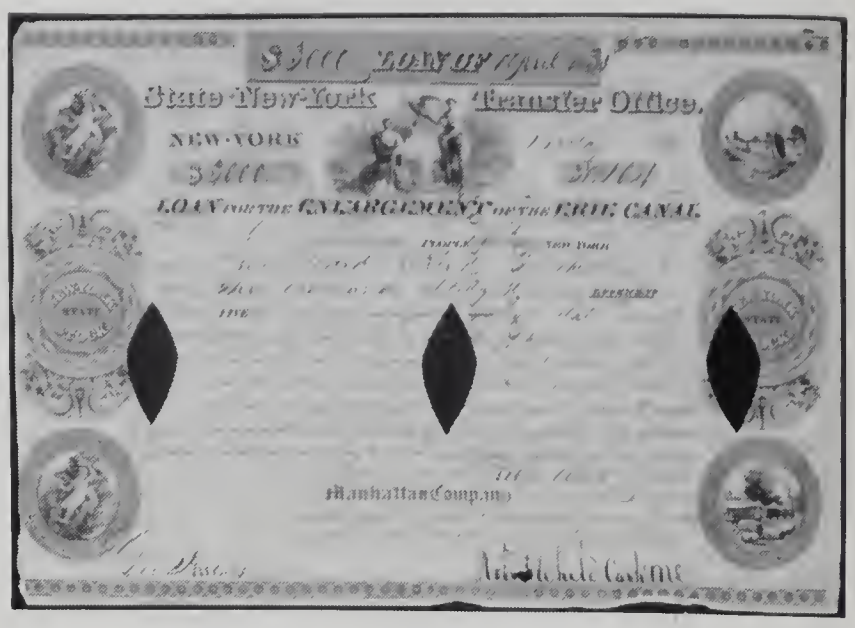
3296 **Staten Island Stars. [] Staten Island North and South Shore RR. (NY).** 1883. **1 sh.** NBN. Gr, bk. **[] Staten Island Midland RR Co.** 1890. **$500** bond, Cu. Or, bk. Bond surcharged to insert The Peoples Trust Co. of Brooklyn as trustee. Punched. **2 Pcs. EF.** **($90-140)**

3297 **Nassau Electric Railroad. (NY).** +1909. **$1000** bond, regd. ABN. Br, bk. Punched. [] 1896. **100 shs.** HLB. Or, bk. Punched. [] Unissued Pfd. stock cert. ABN. Or-br, bk. Numerous stamps. c 1907. Punched. **3 Pcs. VF-EF. (Photo)** **($110-160)**

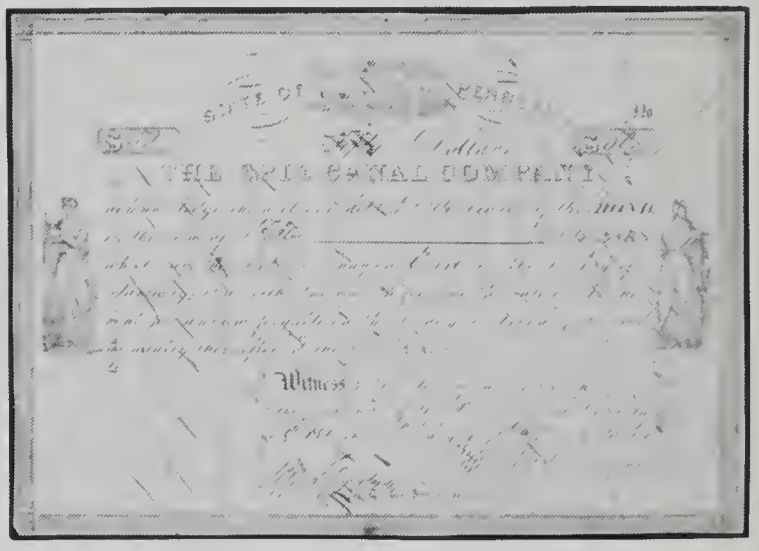
3298 **Detroit Darlings. [] Fort Street and Elmworth Ry.** 186 . Unissued share. Horsecar scene. **[] Detroit and Port Huron Shore Line Ry.** 1902. Unissued share. FLB. Gr, bk. Punched, soiled. **[] Detroit United Ry.** 190 . **100 shs.** Unissued. ABN. Br, bk. Punched. **[] Detroit, Rochester, Romero and Lake Grion Ry.** Unissed. Or, bk. **[] Wyendotte & Detroit River Ry.** 189 . Unissued. Br, bk. **5 Pcs. EF-Unc.** **($125-180)**

3299 **New York State Stock for the Delaware and Hudson Canal.** [] 1827. **$1000** bond, regd. Typeset. Signed as Comptroller by William C. Marcy. (1786-1857), Mayor of Troy (1816-18, 1821-3), NY Comptroller (1823-29), U.S. Senator (1831-3), Governor of NY (1833-39), inventor of the phrase "Spoils System", U.S. Secretary of War (1845-49), U.S. Secretary of State (1853-57). Mt. Marcy, the highest point in NY being named after him. Interest stamps, pen cancelled. [] 1829. **$2000** bond, regd. Signed as Comptroller by Silas Wright Jr. (1795-1847). Friend of Jackson and Martin Van Buren, member of the Albany Regency (for Van Buran), NY Comptroller (1829-33), U.S. Congress (1827-9), then a Senator (1833-44), Governor of NY (1845-7). There is a piece out of the left side, pen cancelled. **2 Pcs. VF-EF.** **($90-160)**

3300 **Central Park Assessment Fund (NY).** 1856. **$30,000** bond, regd Br and bk. Wood block bond, signed by Mayor Fernando Wood (1812-81). Mayor, Congressman, Copperhead, Tammy Hall corruptionist and establisher of Central Park in 1856 as a means of improving his image with New York's upper crust. Pinholed. **VF.** **($70-120)**



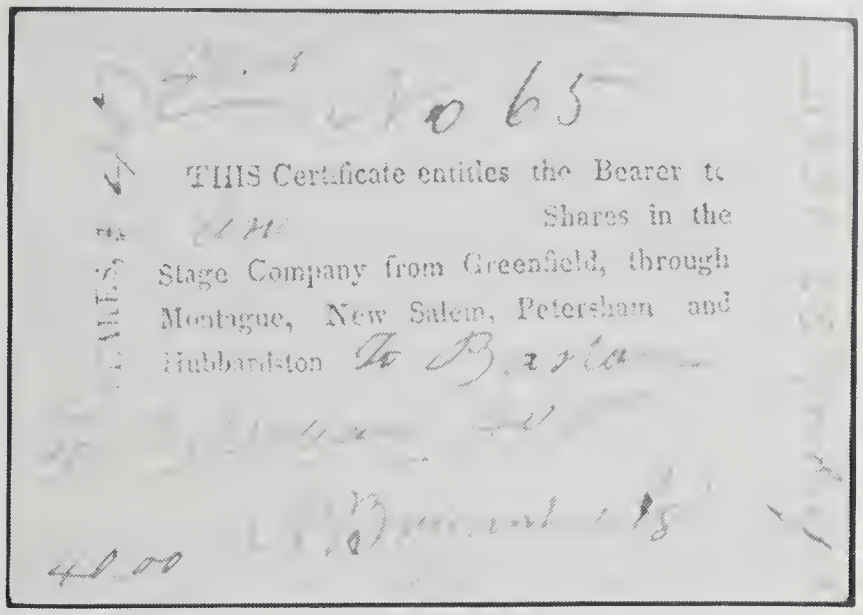
3301 **NY Canal Bonds. [] Black River Canal.** 1839. **$1,959.03** bond regd. Payable at the Manhattan Company. RWH. 4 vignettes. **[] Genesee Valley Canal.** 1937. **$1000.** RWH. Three vignettes. **[] Erie Canal.** 1938. **$3000** payable to Prime, Ward and King, the Baring Brothers Agents in NY. 5 Vignettes. RWH. **[] Chanango Canal.** 1837. **$4500.** RWH. One vignette. **VF. 4 Pcs. (Photo)** **($120-150)**



3302 **Erie Canal Co. (PA).** 1844. **$50** bond regd. Three vignettes. Bond interest payments as late as 1867. Paper wmkd "G & Co." Much rarer than the New York Erie bonds. Ex lot 197 our 12th Sale where it brought $110. **Fine. (Photo)** **($100-150)**

3303 **Ohio Canal Bonds ("STOCK"). [] Miami Extension Canal.** 1845. **$200** bond regd. RWH. 5 vignettes. Act of February 28, 1893. COC. **[] Canal Stock** payable in NYC at the Manhattan Co. 1839. **$17,000** bond regd to the "Rev. William Whewell, Fellow of the Trinity College Cambridge" - thereby demonstrating the popularity of American securities in England at that time. RWH. 7 vignettes. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($85-150)**

3304 **George Washington Items. [] U.S. Legal Tender Note. $1. (Fr.37). [] American Exchange in Europe. (NY?).** 1882. **50 shs.** FBN. Red corporate seal, right. Both with vignettes of Washington. **F-VF. 2 Pcs.** **($35-50)**



3305 **Stage Coach Company from Greenfield, through Montague, New Salem, Petersham and Hubbardston to Boston. (MA).** 1825. **1 sh** ($40). Typeset form. **(Photo)** **($50-75)**

3306 **Very Rare and Late Mexican Land Grant. New Arkansas and Texas Land Company. (TX-MEXICO).** 1833. **1 share.** (3,615 acres). The land was based on an original grant given to Colonel Reuben Ross, but lying to the West of it (just south of the panhandle) given originally to John Charles Beales and Joss Manuel Royeula in 1832 and transferred by them to the projectors of the New Arkansas and Texas Land Company. The grant mentions 11,200 shares of 4,017 6/7 acres (only 3,815 acres are in the heading) for a grant totaling approximately 45,000,000 acres, or over 70,000 square miles. A simple typset document and an extremely rare souvenir of the last days of Mexican rule in Texas. **VF-EF.** **$(400-600)**

3307 **John Dominguez Grant. (TX-MEXICO).** 1831. Land grant for 177.136 acres (''1 labor of land''), located within the Colonel Reuben grant discussed in the last grant in the southwest part of the panhandle, west of the 100 degree latitude (23 degrees from Washington, D.C. which is on the 77th). The exact plot of the grant is not specified and presumably would be made by the ''Empressario'' who assures the holder of his intention of being a resident landlord. Signed by the patentee, his attorneys and endorsed by the grantees on the back. **VF-EF. (Photo)** **($450-650)**

3308 **Pennsylvania Town Company (CO).** 1888. **1 sh.** Re-br. Payable to Olivia Perry who signs below as President. **VF-EF.** **($45-75)**

3309 **New Era Mining Company (Dakota Terr).** 1887. **1000 shs.** Re, gr. **EF.** **($40-65)**

3310 **Western Money King Lot. [] Tonopah Gold Mountain Mining Co. (AR-Terr).** 1905. **1000 shs.** Br, bk. Signed as President by George Wingfield (1876-1959) of this company and made him a millionaire by the age of 28. He ultimately owned 10 banks, controlling the local government from 1915-1930. The Depression wiped him out. Punched. **[] Getchell Mine Inc. (NV).** 1946. **100 shs.** Gr, bk. Also signed by Wingfield. This firm helped him make a limited come back in the 1940's. Punched (2). **VF.** **($75-125)**

3311 **A Copper King Item. Butte Electric Railway Company (WV).** 1904. **5 shs.** ABN. Litho, streetcar. Signed as President by W(illiam) A. Clark (1839-1925) one of the Montana Copper Kings. Thrice elected to the Senate but only got to serve 1901-1907. Coc, left edge bald spots where the stub was ineptly removed. **VF-EF.** **($75-100)**

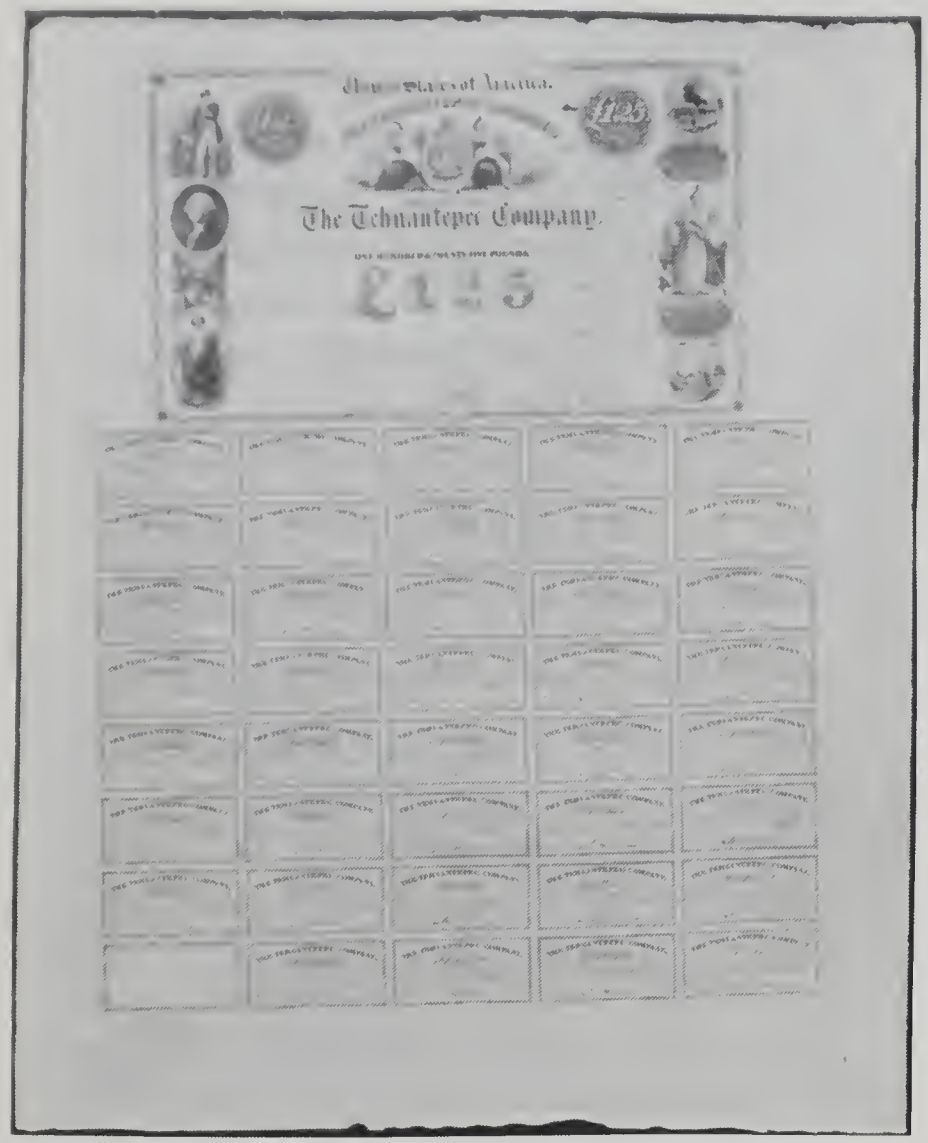
3312 **New England Joint Stock Company (MA).** 1855. **$1.** Lottery ticket as can be readily recognised from the number. Fortune, with cornucopie at left. **VF.** **($50-100)**

3313 **State of Louisiana.** 1932. Bond floated on behalf of the Charity Hospital of New Orleans for the purpose of buying them a new building. The council of the Charity Hospital was obliged to pay off the principal and interest of this loan. Printed on paper, watermarked. "Hudson" by Benjamin Levy and signed by A.M. Roman as Governor. Roman (1795-1866) appears on the famous "Dix" notes of the Citizens Bank, was governor twice (1831-5, 1839-43), sponsored legislation that made the Louisiana banks the strongest in the Nation and was one of the commissioners sent to Washington in 1861 by the Confederacy. This bond is almost certainly extremely rare as they were paid off in full, only 200 or 300 (of which this is No.14) being issued in the first place. The bond has the usual edge and fold splits for this thin paper. **F-VF.** **($350-400)**

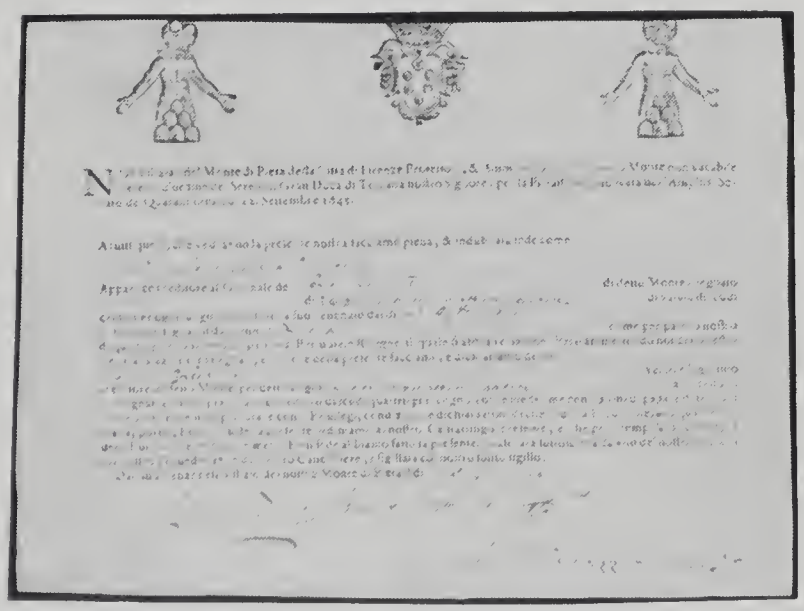
3314 **Meigs Elevated Railroad Construction Company. (MA).** 1887. **$100** bond, Cu. Note tilted, wheels of the train. Signed by Benjamin F. Butler (1818-93), soldier, Cabinet Officer, Congressman and Governor (see earlier lot with his signature for a complete history). Bond **No. 4**. The firm was named after Henry Meiggs (1811-1877) who was famous for his building of "impossible" lines in the Andes. On the back can be found a portrait of Butler as a general, his career having been marked by threatening women in New Orleans and bungling an engagement at Bermuda Hundred in Virginia which prolonged the war by another 9 months. **VF-EF.** **(Photo)** **($125-175)**

3315 **Play Ball. 13th and 15th Streets Passenger Railway. Philadelphia, PA.** 1885. **50 shs.** Blue. ABN certificate. Registered to and endorsed by A.J. Reach, early professional baseball player, baseball manufacturer, etc. (1840-1928). Punched. **VF.** **($70-100)**

3316 **Transcontinental Aerial Navigation Company. (IL).** 1888. **5 shs.** Funny shaped blimp over Chicago. Payable to Dr. A. de Baussett, who signed below as President. Ahead of his time but not the first (see New York obsolete this sale). U.S. Accelerating Steam Navigation. The earlier company proposed to transport miners across the nation to California during the gold rush using a steam engine to power a propeller! **EF.** **($150-200)**



3317 **Tehauantepec Company (LA).** 1853. **£125.** Bond, Cu. RWHE, rcd Lb 125, 7 vignettes. This issue arose for the Treaty of Guadaloupe Hidelgo whereby the U.S. had contingent rights to develop the Techuantepec isthmus and other powers were expressly forbidden to build a canal to the Pacific through the region. Southern slavery interests were also eager to move in on Central America and prominent Louisianans such as Judah P. Benjamin and John Stidell bought its bonds. All the rail and plantation schemes came to naught and the land was not suitable for a canal. **EF-Unc. (Photo)** **($130-180)**



3318 **Monte Pieta Della Citta D. Firenze. (Tuscany).** 1660. Loan from the municipal hock shop to an apprentice. Medici Grand Ducal arms (of Ferdinand II, de Medici, 1621-1670) center; John the Baptist (the city's patron saint) flanking them. Wax seal, lower left, on parchment. **EF. (Photo)** **($400-500)**

3319 **Monmouthshire Iron & Coal Company (UK).** 1837. **1 sh.** Registered in the name of Admiral Sir Henry Digby K.C.B. (Knight Commander of the Order of the Bath) in Dorset. Copper plate work. **EF.** **($75-125)**

3320 **British Government Consolidated Annuities (UK).** 1784. **£800.** Nominal for which £435 was paid, the price of the annuities being greatly reduced to a real yield of over 5.5% against the nominal rate by the growth of the debt during the American Revolutionary War. Part printed form. **EF.** **($90-140)**

3321 **Sonora Rail Road Company (US-Mexico).** 1882. **54 shs.** ABN, U.S., Mexican arms and a train vignette. Stamped and punched. **VF.** **($70-110)**

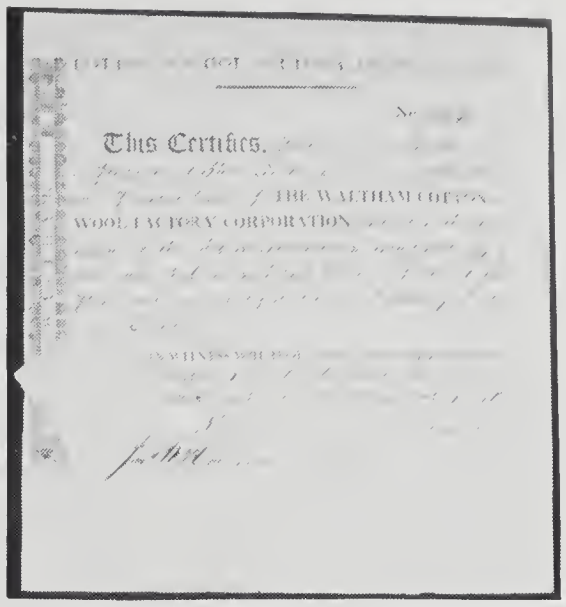
3322 **A Selected Group of Travelers Cheques and Letters of Credit.** Consisting of 23 Letters of Credit, 112 specimen Travelers Checks, 3 imprinted Travelers Checks and 16 other cheques, Money Orders, etc. (all figures approximate) from key banks in the industrial nations of Australia and South Africa. Mostly **Unc.** **($100-Up)**

3323 **Check drawn by Edward Livingston** to Selah Strong for services as Comptroller, drawn as Daniel Phoenix (for notes issued by him see under NY, the NASCA Colonial section) as Treasurer. Livingston (1764-1836), U.S. Congressman (1794-7), Mayor of N.Y. (1801-3, such at signing), U.S. Senator from LA (1829-31), Secretary of State (1831-3), etc. John Randolph of Roanoke summed up his charcter by noting his abilities and utter lack of personal integrity with the devestating line "like a mackeral; he shines and stinks in the moonlight". The check is aged, rough at the bottom. **VF.** **($40-65)**

3324 **Bank of Columbia (DC).** 1797. **10 shs.** Typeset form. Signed by Ben Stoddert (1751-1813). Merchant, incorporator and later President of the Bank of Columbia (this at signing), first Secretary of the Navy (1798-1801) who played a key role in getting that government service organized. The shares are registered to another prominent person, William Paca (1740-99), member of the Continental Congress 1774-79; signer of the Declaration of Independence, Governor of MD (1782-3, 84-5) etc. The certificate is not, however endorsed by him. Cut cancelled, mounted on cards and accompanied by a print of Paca. **VF.** **($120-160)**

3325 **Schuylkill Bank (PA).** 1836. **16 shs.** An 8 vignette certificate by DUBS. Signed as President of the Bank by William M. Meredith (1799-1873), U.S. Secretary of the Treasury (1849-50) and holder of many local and U.S. offices. For checks etc. signed by him, please see our autograph section. **VF. (Photo)** **($70-100)**

3326 **Lykens Valley Coal Company (PA).** [] **1837. 300 shs.** 6 vignette certificate by UBSH. Pen cancelled, light aging, some ink spots. A very pretty piece. [] **Same,** 1836. **100 shs.** Payable to Simon Gratz, the President who signed below. [] **Stock Receipt.** Typeset for **50 shs.** Pen cancelled, stained. (Ex Auction 3, Lot 40, $170). **3 Pcs. VF.** **($125-175)**



3327 **Waltham Cotton & Wool Factory Corporation (MA).** 1813. **1 sh.** Typeset, certificate registered to Amos Whittemore (1759-1828), inventor and manufacturer who patented a machine for making cotton and wool cards and also made brushes for carding cotton and wool. One of the first domestic cloth manufacturers, started as a result of the War or 1812. Wax seal at left. **EF. (Photo)** **($250-400)**

3328 **Union Cotton Manufactory (MA).** 1818. **8 shs.** (No. 8 certificate!). Typeset with simple "UCM" seal at top left. Item is a certificate for the stock, sold by an agent and not the share certificate itself. **EF.** **($100-200)**

3329 **New Hampshire Stratford Bank (NH).** 1804. **1 sh.** Quarto form, with transfer on back together (to the left of it) the liquidation dividends on the bank. From October 13, 1843 to December 3, 1844 (5) for a total of $105 indicated a voluntary liquidation or at any rate a solvent one. Wax seal at left, aging areas. **VF. (Photo)** **($150-200)**

3330 **Bank of Alexandria (VA-DC).** 1793. **1 sh.** Seal at top left of typeset form. Written receipt of payment in full. Share registered in the name of Charles Lee (1758-1815), Naval Officer, Collector of the Port of Alexandria (1789-93), thus at issue; U.S. Attorney General (1795-1801), successful attorney in Marbury vs. Madison (on Madison's behalf) and in Aaron Burr's Treason Trial before Chief Justice Marshal in Richmond. The Bank of Alexandria opened in 1793 with all shares (750 of $200 each) taken, including 25 sold to Washington. Receipt signed by Gordon Chapin, the 2nd Cashier, with transfers on the back (Lee sold his share after only a month's ownership. There is a post horn, watermarked, various edge chinks and splits and the paper is aging. **VF.** **($200-275)**

3331 **Portsmouth & Roanoke Railroad Company (VA).** 1835. **5 shs.** Typeset form printed in Norfolk. Very rare certificate of the first road out of Norfolk and the small seed from which the Seaboard RR grew (but actually in a change of plans from Portsmouth). Quite aged and rare. **EF. (Photo)** **($350-500)**

3332 **Dayton and Michigan Railroad Company (OH).** 1853. **$1000** bond, Cu. Local typeset. Middleton & Wallace, Cincinnati, unusual bond as it is convertible into 20 shares of stock back before convertible securities were common. Pen cancelled. As only 300 bonds were to be issued and this No. 307 exceeded the limit. **VF.** **($100-140)**

3333 **Cleveland, Pagensville & Ashtabula Railroad Company (OH).** 1850. **$1000** bond, done by Wm. Rose's Litho, N.Y.C. No. 391 of only 700 issued. Made payable to and signed by George L. Coe as Trustee. Coe (1817-1891) was a well-known banker, founder of the N.Y.C. Clearing House, President of the American Bankers Association (1881), headed for 37 years the N.Y.C. C of C, etc. **VF.** **($75-125)**

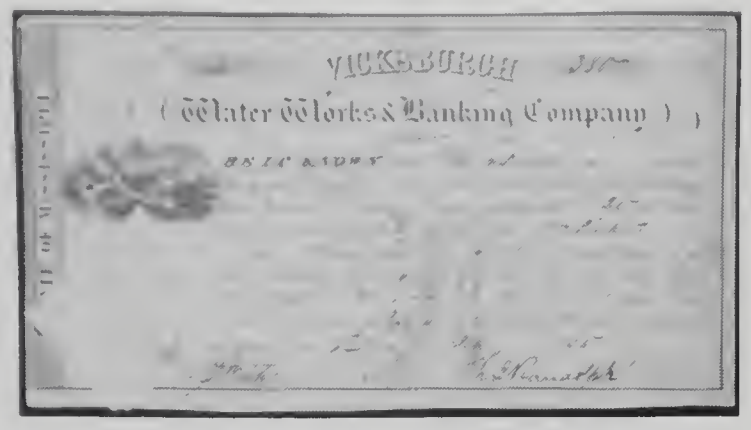
3334 **St. Louis & Kansas City Ry. (MO).** 1888. **$1000** bond, Cs, FBN, gr, bk. [] **Lebanon Springs RR (NY).** 1867. **$100** bond, Cu. Gr, bk, re seal at left. Signed as President by H(orace) F(rancis) Clark, (1815-1873), married Vanderbilt's daughter, U.S. Congressman (1857-59), Director of the N.Y. & Harlem RR; President of the Lake Shore, Michigan So. & No. Indiana RR including this little line. His holdings were so large as to have a considerable impact on the market and he also owned Western Union. **2 Pcs. VF.** **($100-175)**

3335 **Rapid Transit Subway Construction Company (NY).** 1903. **10 shs.** Br, bk, local typeset. Signed as President by Augustus M. Belmont, son of August Belmont (1816-1890). Diplomat. U.S. Agent for the Rothschilds. The younger Belmont (1853-1924) succeeded as head of his father's bank, was active in the N.Y.C. traction industry and was a frequent spokesman for the N.Y. bankers, so much so (even though he was, like his father a Democrat) that he was the target of a Bryan resolution in the 1912 Democratic convention that sought to purge Belmont and his friends. The motion failed, but so unpopular was Belmont that Clark was discredited and Wilson won. The person to whom the certificate is made out M(orton) F. Plant (1852-1911) headed his own railway system until 1902 when he was bought out by the Atlantic Coast Line after which he became prominent in N.Y. The certificate is punched, soiled around the edges with fold splits. **VF.** **($75-140)**

3336 **Extremely Rare Interim Bond - One of Ten Known. ($75-125)**
New Orleans Gas-Light and Banking (LA). 1835. **$1000,** 5% debenture. Wood block on paper watermarked "A. Mies". This bank was formed in 1835; as a condition for getting banking privileges, the bank had to set up a gas works and furnish the city with street lights. The bank survived until after 1865. This bond was part of a short issue, later completed with properly printed one. Fold splits, pieces out of top, bottom and left side, repaired with liquid paper very neatly, aging. **VF.**

3337 **+Petroleum Calcium Gas Light Company (PA).** 1869. **65 shs.** Local typeset shows equipment for making gas and storing it for use. The certificate is issued to the President, John V. Painter, who signed at left. Aging in spots. **VF.** **($125-200)**

3338 **Napoleonic Item. Baltimore Water Company (MD).** 1809. **1 share.** Typeset. Payable to William Patterson (1752-1835), Baltimore shipping magnate and merchant, first president of The Bank of Maryland, builder of Ft. McHenry, one of the first directors of the Baltimore & Ohio RR. His daughter Elizabeth married Jerome Bonaparte, Napoleon's youngest brother (later King of Westphalia and the progenitor of the current Bonapartist pretender). Napoleon broke up the marriage (1805) but not before a son was born. Elizabeth's grandson was Charles Bonaparte, U.S. Secretary of the Navy and Attorney General under Theodore Roosevelt. Nibbled edges. Aging, a rought right edge, six back hinges, with a center thin spot. **Unc.** **($50-75)**



3339 **Vicksburg Water Works & Banking Company (MS).** 1838. **380 shs.** Certificate for $20 per share payment. Wax seal with fountain at left. This firm in exchange for its banking privileges was supposed to furnish Vicksburg with a good source of drinking water (hence the river source and canal lock scene). Founded in 1837, it was reportedly merged with the Union Bank of Mississippi in 1839 and its $500,000 capital and the waterworks had disappeared without a trace by the time the legislature looked into the banking situation in 1841-2. Rare (as are the notes of this institution), aging at right. **VF. (Photo)** **($200-250)**

3340 **Northern & Southern West Virginia Railroad Co (WV).** 1872. **$1000** bond, Cu. Gr, bk. Stain on left edge. **VF.** **($75-125)**

A MAGNIFICENT RUN OF PROOF ITEMS.

3341 **Western RR Proof. Engravings on Card. [] Utah and Northern Railway Company heading for a regd. bond.** 9-4-1878. "Own drawing" W. Acermann. Punched in the india paper. **Unc. [] Billings, Clark's Fork and Cooke City RR (MT).** 1887. **$1000** bond. FBN, gr, folded corner. **Unc. [] Same,** top four inched of the bond, per se. Gr, bk, nice train vignette. **($60-90)**

3342 **Midwestern RR Proofs of Parts of Securities on Card. [] Cincinnati, Jackson and Machinaw RR.** Pfd. stock certificate. Top 3¾ inches. **[] Wisconsin Central Minneapolis Terminal** per the **Wisconsin Central Ry.** Bond heading, top 4⅚ inches. Stained at top left. **[] Wisconsin Central Ry. Marshfield and South Eastern Division.** Registered bond, top 3⅞ inches. **[] Minnesota, St. Croix and Wisconsin RR.** Trust (for common shares) certificate, top 3 inches. Stained at bottom. **[] Chicago, Wisconsin and Minnesota RR.** Debenture, top 4¼ inches. **[] Same, (WI). $1000** bond, top in bk, re, 4½ inches. **6 Pcs. Unc.** **($150-200)**

3343 **Chicago and Eastern Illinois Railroad (IL).** 18. Proof common share certificate by FBN, on card. Gr, bk. Small punch holes. **($100-175)**

3344 **Pittsburgh, Painsville & Fairport Ry. (OH).** 1890-1905. **$1000** bond. Br, bk. (Probably FNB). Proof of top 6½ inches of the bond on card. **Unc.** **($75-125)**

3345 **North Eastern Rail Roads. [] New Haven and North Hampton Co.** Label from a bond. 1½ inches high. **[] Great American and European Short Line.** Cover for a **$1000 or £205** Bond by FBN. **[] Bangor and Aroostock RR.** Top half of a cover for a **$1000** bond. Gr, 6¼ inches high. **[] Small heading New York State Rys (Security Trust Company of Rochester).** Gr, 2 x 3 inches. **[] Syracuse & Baldwinsville RR.** Top 3¾ inches of a proof common stock certificate. Br, bk. **[] Utica Belt Line Street RR.** Top 6⅛ inch portion of a **$500** bond. Br, bk. Picture of two trolleys **6 Pcs. Unc.** **($100-175)**

3346 **St. Louis & Suburban Ry.** Street car vignette, for a bond. 3¾ x 6 1/16 **[] Bellingham Bay and Eastern RR heading.** 2½ x 5⅛. **2 Pcs. Unc.** **($40-60)**

3347 **Heartland Railways [] Rock Island Frisco Terminal Ry.** A cover for a **$1000** bond. 7⅞ x 3¾ inches. **[] New York, Chicago and St. Louis RR.** Cover for a **$1000** bond (top part). 6½ x 4¼ inches. **[] Cincinnati, Indianapolis, St. Louis and Chicago Ry.** Full cover for a **$1000** bond, gr. FBN. **[] New York, Chicago and St. Louis RR.** Full cover for a **$1000** bond by ABN, re. **[] Chicago, Portage and Superior Ry. Co.** Full cover for a **$1000** bond. FBN. Water stained at the top. **[] Chicago, Indianapolis and St. Louis Short Line Ry.** Heading, with station vignette. 4 x 7⅛. **[] Toledo, St. Louis and Western Ry (IN).** Heading for a share certificate. 3⅜ x 9½ inches. **7 Pcs. Unc.** **($130-180)**

3348 **Mining Companies. [] Fortune Gold Mining and Milling.** Heading for a stock certificate. 1¼ inches deep. **[] Western Pocahontas Corp.** Label for a bond. 2 inches deep. **[] Davis-Daly Copper. (ME).** Heading for a share certificate, three vignettes. 3¼ x 9 inches. **[] Douglas Copper Co.** Share heading, one vignette. 2¾ inches deep. **Coeur D'Alene** (train vignette) heading. 4 inches deep. **[] Mexico - Campbell Reduction Co. (NY).** Stock certificate heading, large vignette. 3¾ inches deep. **[]Gila Valley Copper Co.** Share certificate top. 2⅜ inches deep. **[] Bamberger - Delamar Gold Mines Co.** Top of a share certificate. 1 vignette. Br, bk. 3½ x 11¼ inches. **8 Pcs. Unc.** **($100-160)**

3349 **Ship Companies. [] Consolidated Mississippi Steam Navigation Co. (NY).** Mississippi Riverboat vignette. 4 x 9 inches. **[] Board of Commissioners for the Pontahartrain Levee District (LA). $1000** bond cover for 1894 loan. FBN, gr. Punched at bottom in signature block. **[] New York and Texas Steamship Company.** Top of a **$1000** bond. Gr, bk. Lovely ship vignette. 5⅜ x 9⅜. **3 Pcs.** **($75-110)**

3350 **Water Companies. [] United States Realty and Improvement Co.** Simple heading. **[] The Metropolitan Water Co.** Heading of a bond with a vignette. 3¾ x 7¾ inches. **[] New Mexico Land and Irrigation Company.** Top of a **$1000** bond, Cu. Gr, bk. Large vignette. 7¼ x 10¼ inches. **3 Pcs. Unc.** **($60-100)**

3351 **Industrial Companies. [] Detroit Stove Works (MI).** Heading with a nice large eagle vignette. 2⅞ inches deep. **[] The National Starch Manufacturing Co.** Full cover for a **$1000** bond. FBN, gr. **[] A.J. Hartford Steel Ry Tie Manufacturing Co.** Top of a share certificate, 3 vignettes, gr, 2¾ inches deep. **[] Allegheny Bessimer Steel Co. $5000** bond top with a large steel making scene. 6 x 9¼ inches. **[] The Eastern Steel Company (PA).** Top of a share certificate. 3⅝ x 10 inches. **($90-150)**

3352 **Public Utilities. [] Consolidated Telephone of PA. $1000** bond heading. **[] California Gas and Electric Corp.** Full cover for a **$10,000** bond, by ABN, gr. **[] New York Suburban Gas Co.** Full cover for a **$1000** bond by FLB, gr. **[] California Gas and Electric Corp.** Full cover for a **$10,000** bond by ABN, gy-gr. **[] General Electric Co.** Full cover for a **$1000** bond by ABN, gy-gr. A corner is clipped, and there are water stains. **[] Laclede Gas Light Co. (MO)** Br., top of a bond cover. 3 x 3⅞ inches. **[] General Electric Co.** Top of a bond cover. Br, 4½ x 4. Water stained at the top. **[] Columbus Electric Company.** Full cover for a **$1000** bond by FLB, bl, two punch holes in the signature block. **[] Edison Electric Illuminating Co. (NY).** Full cover for a **$1000** bond by FBN, gr. **[] Montgomery Water Power Co. (NJ).** Top of a **$1000** bond. Blue. 4 x 15, partially out at left. **10 Pcs.** **($140-200)**

3353 **National Banks. [] Coal and Iron N.B. of N.Y.C.** (Ch #7203). Stock certificate heading. **[] Proof check of Henry F. Spencer** on the National Security Bank of Boston (Ch. #1675). Three punch holes. **[] The Asbury Park N.B.** Stock certificate top. Gr, bk, eagle vignette. (Ch.#3792). 3¾ x 10½ inches. **[] The Mechanics & Metals National Bank.** ABN. Proof No. C-2671. (Ch.#1250). Heading only for G.W. McGarrah. **4 Pcs.** **($50-75)**

AUTOGRAPHS

3354 MOHAWK VALLEY BANK (NY). Check - 1853. **$350** payable to **Francis E. Spinner** (U.S. Treasurer, etc). and endorsed by him on the back. Holed, cc. Endorsement bold. **($35-50)**

3355 THE BANK OF CALIFORNIA (NV). 1872. **$858.02** check drawn by **Francis C. Fair** (U.S. Senator, Silver King), on his Virginia account. **EF.** **($35-50)**

3356 U.S. LAND GRANT. To Barzillian Powell of Missouri for 40 acres. Signed by **Robert Tyler,** son of President John Tyler both for his father (he was his father's secretary) and for himself. Robert Tyler later headed the Democratic party in Pennsylvania and Alabama while serving as Register of the CSA from August 1861 to April 1, 1865. Part printed and written on parchment, with aging. **VF.** **($100-150)**

3357 AUTOGRAPH BOOK OF the Marquis d' Hautepol whose friendship with King Edward VII (then Prince of Wales) allowed him to procure these signatures. The book, bound in green gold tooled morroco, consists of 66 gold tipped pages with signatures starting on page 9 and running to page 61 and contains 65 signatures including those of **Lord Revelstoke, the Earl of Cavan, the bankers Montague Norman, E.F. Hambro, Sir John Bradbury, Lionel de Rothschild, plus Randall Davidson, Archbishop of Canterbury, Admiral Beaty Austin Chamberlain, King Gustav V of Sweden, Field Marshall Sir Wm. Robertson, Lord Balfour, Duc Amadeo of Aosta of Italy, The Bourbon Pretender in France, the Maharajah of Jodhpur, King Custav VI of Sweden (as Crown Prince) and his sons Crown Prince Carl Johan (father of the present king) and Prince Bertil (uncle of the present king) Anthony de Rothschild, Lord Birkenhead, King Faud of Eygpt** et al. The book is accompanied by a note book with the official biographies of each signer (as available) plus a history of the Hautepol family in France. A must for the serious collector. ***($300-450)**

3358 STATE OF LOUISIANA. Bond interest and principal reduction and funding form of 1874 signed by **Governor Francis T. Nichols** as President of the Funding Board and payable to Edmund J. Forstall, for many years Baring Brother's agent in New Orleans, a former CSA Loan Commissioner and an adviser to CSA Secretary of the Treasury, Memminger (who did not follow his advice). Edge splits, petty pieces gone. **VF.** **($50-75)**

3359 Check drawn on the BRANCH BANK OF THE UNITED STATES in Washington D.C. on January 10, 1825 for **$100** by **James Monroe,** retiring President of the United States. Hammer cancelled, light aging and edge splits. Crayon markings at bottom (by bank). ***($500-Up)**

3360 **Portrait of Cornelius Vanderbilt** (c. 1850's) with his signature on blue ruled paper. Note the old boy spelled his name the old way "Van Derbilt". Both items nicely matted. **($75-125)**

3361 **Wagner Palace Car Company (NY).** 1890. Fractional share certificate for **$72.** (Shares cost $100). Simple typeset, no endorsement on the back. Heavily stamped and punch holes. **[]** Also engraved portrait of Gould. **[]** A **Jay Gould** signature with salutation on card. All three deftly and attractively matted. **($175-275)**

3362 **Jay Cooke Letter to P. Grimley of Philadelphia.** July 12, 1900 in response to a letter for an autograph. Tells Grimely how he and his brother Henry D. Cooke, former Governor of D.C. set up or aided the setting up of 400 national banks and how he forced the NYC state banks to go national. Complete letter in Cooke's handwriting, plus a transcription. Cooke's (1821-1905) real service was as the seller of bonds during the Civil War for the Federal Government. His overextension in Western Railroad floatations caused the panic of 1873 and his own temporary financial eclipse. By the time this letter was written he was again a wealthy man. Aging. **EF.** **($35-50)**

3363 United State of America. Commission of Appointment of Horace L. Swift as Postmaster at Wallace, Shoshone County, Idaho. Signed July 2, 1891, by S.A. Whitfield as acting Postmaster General (In Wanamaker's absence) and by **President Banjamin Harrison.** Official seal of the Post Office in bronze paper and red ribbons at left. Water stained, top corner tips gone, petty edge splits. **VF.** **($225-325)**

3364 Post Office Department. Appointment Commission for Horace L. Swift, at Wallace, Shoshone, Idaho. (10-9-1890). Commission signed by **John Wanamaker** (1838-1922). U.S. Postmaster General (1890-3) founder of Wanamaker's, philanthropist. The form is water stained and aging. **VF.** **($75-100)**

3365 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. 1796. Land Patent for 989 acres in Northumberland County, on R & R Baily part printed and part written form. Signed under the Commonwealth seal at left by **Governor Thomas Miflin** (1745-1805). Longtime assemblyman, member of the Continental Congress (1774-6), involved in various Revolutionary War military posts, member of the Constitutional Convention, 1787; Governor of PA (1790-99), suppressed the Whiskey Rebellion (1794). There is a second seal on the back for the state land enrollment office. Aging. VF. **($100-150)**

3366 Autograph on Card of **Warren G. Harding,** (U.S. President). Also, a copy of an Underwood and Underwood portrait of the 29th President. Both matted and then enclosed in a joint frame with fancy gold webbed border. **($175-275)**

3367 Archivist's Nightmare. MARION NATIONAL BANK. **$20** check drawn to herself by **Florence King Harding** (widow of President Harding) drawn on funds of her husband's old newspaper, the Marion Star - Tribune. Mrs. Harding, died later in 1924, having survived her husband only briefly. In the interval, she systematically burned all her husband's papers thereby prompting one signally indignant U.S. archivist to suggest that in the absence of a law giving the United States Archives the custody of such papers, the custom of sutee should be revived on a mandatory basis for presidential widows! Aging, punch cancelled. **($50-75)**

3368 Autograph Signature Card of **U.S. President Chester A. Arthur** together with a Harper's Weekly June 26, 1880 drawing of him. Individually matted and jointly framed with a gold leaf frame. **($250-400)**

3369 **Mormon Item.** ARIZONA CO. OPERATIVE MERCANTILE INSTITUTION. (AR). Holbrook. Checks drawn in 1904,1907, 1908 on the First N.B. of Albuquerque (2), the Navajo County Bank. (For a history of this Mormon establishment see the attached sheets). Punch and stamp cancelled. **3 Pcs. VF.** **($50-75)**

3370 Autograph Signature of **President Benjamin Harrison** on Card. Also, a Harper's Weekly full page picture of his rainy inaugeration. Vol. XXXIII No. 1682, March 16, 1889. Both beautifully matted and framed in black and gold. **($250-350)**

3371 Autograph of **William Howard Taft.** January 26, 1926 (Chief Justice U.S. at signing). Also a copy of the front page of Colliers Magazine January 20, 1912 showing Taft signing the law admitting New Mexico to the Union. **($150-225)**

3372 +CHARLES RIVER NATIONAL BANK. (MA). 1876. **$50** check drawn by **James Russell Lowell** (1819-95). Author, poet, educator and diplomat, payable to himself and presumably endorsed on the back. **EF,** punched, also a portrait of Lowell based on a photograph by Warren of Boston. Both handsomely matted and enclosed in a narrow gold frame. **($150-200)**

3373 Autograph of **William Badger** on Card (Governor of NH), whose deft management of the "Indian Steam Territory" troubles (see American Heritage) on the "war" prevented a serious confrontation between the U.S. and Great Britain. Also portrait of the governor and a write up from **McClintocks History**. Matted, framed, top right corner of frame chipped and pulled somewhat apart. **EF.** **($40-75)**

3374 Receipt Form (MA) 1872. **$87.50** form for tuition (when Bell was a professor) signed by **Alexander Graham Bell** (inventor of the telephone). Stained left, a short tear. **VF.** **($500-650)**

3375 Letter MSS to Sands Higgenbotham in re some NY canal stock and the conditions under which he is to subscribe. Signed by **Garrett Smith** (philantropist and financier) who had a hand in prison reform, the abolition movement and less creditably in John Brown's Harpers Ferry attack for which Smith furnished funds. Aging. **VF.** **($60-90)**

3376 Impressment Item. All hand written letter from **Timothy Pickering,** U.S. Secretary of State to Robert Trump in re a British vessel in NY harbor supposed to have impressed U.S. seamen aboard; that the ship was reported held for $100,000 bail on that account and that Pickering is making inquiries of Mayor Varick on this subject. Stained, aged, attached write-up. **($140-200)**

3377 Letter, (NY). 1867. Signature of **Cyrus W. Field,** financier, telegraph develper and one of the unpopular "money kings". Attached background material on Field. **VF.** **($300-400)**

3378 Letter, (NY). 1839. Written in his own hand and signed by **Peter Cooper** (manufacturer, philanthropist, see accompanying sheet for his biography). Holed at top left by rough seal removal. **VF.** **($60-80)**

3379 Letter, (PA). 1793. Written entirely in his own hand by **George Clymer** (1739-1813). Philadelphia merchant, signer of the Declaration of Independence, signer of U.S. money etc) and addressed to the collector of Internal Revnue in re whiskey rebellion. (Attached history of Clymer and typed rendition of the letter). Quarto, three pages. Aging. **($500-700)**

3380 Letter, (CT). 1789. From **Oliver Wolcott** (then Comptroller of CT), to Alexander Hamilton (then U.S. Secretary) about Wolcott's appointment to be U.S. Auditor and making an appointment to discuss the position before accepting or declining it. Wolcott went on to be the U.S. Comptroller, Secretary of the Treasury and then Governor of CT. Parts of the letter are crossed out. **VF.** **($125-175)**

3381 Part printed form. (DC). 1792. Sale downpayment signed by **Samuel Blodget Jr.** selling one lot of the Jamaica Farm plot of 400 acres half of which was owned by the United States. Partnering Robert Morris in his efforts to corner the D.C. land market, both were ruined, Blodget holding on until 1805 before going down. Foxed in spots. **VF.** **($600-800)**

3382 Letter, (NY). 1876. **George W. Pullman** (inventor, industrialist, labor relations blunderer) offering one of his cars to the St. John's Guild on the occasion of President Grant's visit to N.Y.C. on their behalf as a residence for the general and his entourage. Aging. **VF.** **($200-300)**

3383 Autographed photograph of **Herbert Hoover** (Bachrach), within a silver tinted frame. **($100-150)**

3384 United States of America. Official commission for Alfred M. Hunter to be Colonel in the Coast Artillery Corps. Signed by **K.L. Scott** as acting Secretary of War and by **Woodrow Wilson** as President of the United States. On beautiful form with drum, bugle, naval mine, mortar, canon, swords, rifles, canon cleaners, flags and canteen at bottom, eagle at top. Surface soiling. Blue War Office seal at left with teeth clipped **($225-350)**

3385 Letter, (PA). 1788. All hand written letter by **Robert Morris** (signer of the Declaration of Independence, etc) to Mrs. Cory Tilghman in regard to his efforts to collect funds due him, to fend off counter claims and to settle his increasingly disordered affairs. Last page (quarto, blank) much torn and tattered. **VF.** **($400-500)**

3386 Receipt, (NH). 1814. Signed by **Daniel Webster** (Congressman, Senator, Secretary of State) to Russell Freeman for $20 for a retainer for the Town of Landwich. **F-VF.** **($100-150)**

3387 Letter, (NY). 1782. **David Bushwell** (1742-1824), inventor of the first practical submarine, asking pay from CT for two sappers detailed to him for duty (attached write up). Soiled, aged. A **rare** signature. **VF.** **($275-400)**

3388 Letter, (MA). 1787. From **James Bowdoin** in his hand and signed by him, (MA Governor, merchant suppressor of the Shay's rebellion and honored by having a college named after him) to Elbridge Gerry U.S. V.P., MA Governor, after whom the Gerrymander (unfair drawing of Constituancy lines is named, signer of the Declaration of Independence, participant in the "X,Y,Z" affair, etc. Bowdoin discussed Gerry's commission to the U.S. Constitutional Convention and various inventors. Frail, badly split down the center, mounting remnants on the left side. **($400-500)**

3389 Letter of **John Sartain** (PA). 1847. Rejecting a proposal to take on a pupil. Sartain was an engraver who introduced the custom of putting pictures into publications. **($100-150)**

3390 Letter, (NY). 1782. From **William Floyd** (signed by him) and written by William Williams. Floyd was a signer of the Declaration of Independence and a member of the Continental and first U.S. Congresses; Williams was a signer of the Declaration from Connecticut. Williams had picked up £24 from Connecticut which was owed to Floyd by Thomas Fanning, a Tory whose estate had been confiscated. Aging. **F-VF.** **($500-650)**

3391 **The Making of a President.** 1824. Letter (DC). 1825. From the patroon, **Stephen Van Rensselaer,** then a U.S. Congressman, to George W. Featherstonhaugh in which Van Rensselaer describes his role in securing the election of John Quincy Adams as President (his vote brought NY into Adam's camp) and also attacking Martin Van Buren who was already trafficing with Van Rensselaer's dissident tenants. Four pages, print of this old time aristocrate. Soiling, splits, repaired holes. **($500-650)**

3392 United States of America. U.S. Army Commission for Philip C. Davis as Captain by Brevet from March 13, 1865 for faithful services during the war. Signed by **Edwin M. Stanton** as Secretary of War with the signature of **President Andrew Johnson** at the right. Johnson's signature was stamped on at this period due to a hand injury. A most martial item complete with drum, flags, canon, pikes, bolts, chain shot, etc. **VF.** **($250-300)**

3393 Letter (PA). 1823. From **Nicholas Biddle,** wholly in his own hand to John Cunningham, President of the Savannah branch about a renewal of his note. Also, an engraving of Biddle. Aging. **VF.** **($200-250)**

3394 Letter (DC). 1827. From **Henry Clay** (Speaker, Senator, Secretary of State - thus at writing; Presidential candidate). Addressed to Thomas J. Wharton in regard to Philadelphia patronage controlled by "Col. Biddle", Nicholas' brother. Completely in Clay's hand, with write ups and a handsome engraving of Clay toward the end of his life. **VF.** **($400-550)**

3395 Letter (NH). 1778. From **M. Weane** to Josiah Bartlett and John Wentworth, NH representatives in the Continental Congress. Reports that State resources are exhausted and asks that Bartlett and Wentworth apply to Congress to get back $200,000 badly needed at home. A complete copy of this letter made by Bartlett, signer of the Declaration of Independence, probably for circulation to other members of the Congress or for his or Wentworth's use. Aging, stained in spots, attached write up. **VF.** **($200-300)**

3396 **Canaan, Ct.** 1790. Order for the removal of an individual who has come down with small pox to another peron's house and the innoculation and removal of four other exposed persons to the same house. Innoculation did not involve the Jenner system (not known until after 1800) but the actual injection of small pox germs into a person in weak form thereby giving that person a weak case of the disease and life time immunity - for those who survived. Order backed by Justice of the Peace signatures. Aged, corner torn off, foxed. **VF.** **($100-150)**

3397 Draft. (CT). 1775. By **Oliver Ellsworth** (1745-1807), U.S. Chief Justice) and Thomas Seymour a signer of Connecticut notes to the pay table office asking Pounds be paid to certain Hartford men who were called up in "the late Boston alarm." Aging, chips out of the edges. **VF.** **($200-300)**

3398 Printed form (PA). 1782. Whereby **John Dickinson** (1732-1808 President of the Supreme Council of PA, thus at signing). Continental Congressman who refused to vote for the Declaration of Independence but who fought in the army and served both Pennsylvania and Delaware in various roles. He went to the consitutional convention from DE, authorized the payment of £1.18.9 to a soldier. Note the signatures of John Nicholson, Robert Morris's partner at left and that the order is addressed to David Rittenhouse (the inventor, etc) as the State Treasurer. There is also a plate of Dickinson. **VF.** **($200-275)**

3399 **Extraordinary Land Grant.** Land grant (PA). 1806. To the Baring Brothers, Alexander and Henry of 1099 acres of land. Alexander Baring (1774-1848) first Lord Ashburton, was a great banker who managed British investments in America and helped Webster avoid a war over the Maine frontier in 1842. (Webster - Ashburton Treaty). Signed by **Governor Thomas McKean,** signer of the Declaration of Independence, Governor of Pennsylvania and with the endorsement on the back of Thomas Matlock in whose hand the Declaration of Independence was written. Three handsome seals. **VF.** **($175-250)**

3400 Baltimore & Ohio RR Co. (MD). 1850, 1852. **25, 23, shs.** Three vignette certificate. No imprint. Both signed by **Thomas Swann** as President. Swann (1806-1883) was also Mayor of Baltimore and a Congressman. Pen and cut cancelled. **2 Pcs. EF.** **($150-200)**

3401 Check on the Girard Bank (PA). 1823. **$300.** Payable to cash by **Rushman(?) and Wright.** Aging, hammer cancelled. Also a print of Girard who made a packet at the country's expense in 1812-14 only to die without heirs leaving everything to charity. **2 Pcs. EF.** **($50-100)**

3402 **State of Illinois.** 1823. **$11.26** refund receipt for land and the land tax. Also a notation on the back that land is not the party's property but that of another. Punched. **EF.** **($25-Up)**

3403 CATSKILL BANK (NY). 1830. [] Petition for an extension of the bank's charter per the Act of April 30, 1830. [] A separate paper certifying "that the proceeding is a true copy and signed by **Governor Silas Wright,** of Albany Regency fame. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($40-60)**

3404 Iron Worker's Documents (CT). 1789 to 1796. A series of part printed sales forms, witnessed, sealed, etc. Aging, splits. **VF. 4 Pcs.** **($40-60)**

3405 Union Bank (LA). 1842. **$9225** bonded debt secured by the pledge of two tracts of land and 22 slaves, names and ages furnished. All witnessed in due form. The planter, **George C. M. Whorter** "bought" his shares in the Bank by giving stock notes secured by land and slave collateral. The State then lent the Bank bonds which it sold to provide itself with a real capital and the interest from the loans and the stock notes was supposed to pay the interest on the state bonds and retire their principal. The bank, in fact, lost most of its money in bad loans and took 50 years to liquidate while planters made fraudulent claims that the pledged slaves had died and scheduled funerals for them while only logs were buried and the slaves shipped off to Texas and sold for cash. Aging, edge splits. **VF.** **($100-150)**

3406 **Rutherford B. Hayes.** [] Letter authorizing the Secretary of State to issue a warrant to pardon George H. Lewis. Signed by Hayes March 25, 1878. Also a picture of a painting of Hayes, the Hayes inaugural medal all attractively matted, surrounded by red velvet and placed in a gilded wood frame. **($200-300)**

3407 Enrolled Act. (NY).1829. To extend the charter of the Catskill Bank to 1853 (see lot 50 for the terms.) A true copy certified to by the Secretary of State, with the state seal at left. Splitting along the folds, aging. **($25-45)**

3408 Receipt (DC). 1801. **Tristan Dalton,** Agent for the Bank of the U.S., is acknowledged by virtue of powers of attorney deposited with the Treasury, to be the agent to receive the dividends on the 3% U.S. stock on behalf of a long string of foreigners, mostly British. Short authorization written to Samuel Hanson, Cashier of the Bank of Columbia instructing him to pay such interest to Dalton and signed by **Secretary of the Treasury Gallatin.** Aging, splitting, chips out of the edges. **($170-190)**

3409 Letter from **Robert Morris (PA).** 1795 trying to get Mr. James Constable of N.Y. to take a share in six million acres of land with the promise of a ten-fold return. A clear indication of the growing desparation of Morris's position. Aging, some ink corrosion and bleed-through. **($300-400)**

3410 **Russian.** 1822. **960 Roubles/£148 perpetual 5% loan,** floated in England by the Rothschilds and with the Rothschild-Russian Loan seal bottom right, manual signature by **N.M. Rothschild,** founder of the British house, at top right. This was a perpetual loan and was renewed 8 times until 1918 when a default occured, as no new coupons were sent. British tax stamps. Note provision of paragraph 22 which guarantees payment of interest even to the nationals of nations at war with Russia! Two left over, unpaid coupons. Edge tears, taped, strip gauze along the left side. **F-VF.** **($90-140)**

3411 United States of America. Commission of Appointment for Henry M. Dawes (1877-1952, brother of Vice President Charles G. Dawes; Comptroller 1923-4), to be Comtroller of the Currency. April 23, 1923. Signed by **Andrew W. Mellon** (banker, businessman, philanthropist, art collector) as Secretary of the Treasury and by **Warren G. Harding** as President. Nice engraved certificate, bronze seal at left. **($190-250)**

3412 + State of Mississippi 1865 Order from **Provisional Governor William L. Sharkey** to pay $5000 for the support of the Lunatic Asylum Sharkey (1798-1873) was an able lawyer, judge and codifier, opposed secession but was removed by Congress as Governor and denied a Senate seat. **($50-75)**

3413 Promissory Note (PA). 1835. **$3250** note payable by **William Meredith** (Secretary of the Treasury, etc). Cancelled, however. **F-VF.** **($40-75)**

3414 **Joseph Anderson** (1757-1837) **First U.S. Comptroller** (1815-36), U.S.,=. Senator from TN 1797-1815. [] Two autographs, one signed in 1836. His revolutionary war record saved him from dismissal by Jackson who was very reluctant to fire such persons. [] Letter to a delinquent collector ordering him to pay up $4,194.54 **($35-55)**

3415 Letter (PA). 1827 from **Wm M. Meredith** (U.S. Secretary of the Treasury) to his father William as regards a local bank, etc. Waterstained. **VF.** **($40-75)**

3416 Assorted Treasury Items. [] Letter from **Charles A. Greene** regarding a bounced check at the Schuylkill Bank, and warning against giving preference to other creditors. [] Report of **H.D. Gilpin,** Soliciotr of the Treasury to John Mills, U.S. Attorney in Boston 1839 as regards a suit against the bond of J.B. Fanning for debts owed the U.S. Navy. Gilpin, (1801-1830), was U.S. Attorney General 1840-41. [] Letter wholely in the hand of **J.C. Spencer** to Hon. A. C. Savage, House of Representatives, in regard to a War Department payment. John Canfield Spencer (1788-1855) was a Congressman, U.S. Secretary of War 1841-3) and Secretary of the Treasury 1843-4). **VF. 3 Pcs.** **($45-75)**

3417 BANK OF MOBILE (AL). 1861. Pictorial check for $890 drawn by **General Charles Clark,** commanding the Army of the Mississippi, later Governor. He fought at Shiloh and later defended Baton Rouge. Aging **EF.** **($100-150)**

3418 Letter (DC). 1845. From **R.J. Walker** (US Secretary of the Treasury) to Ralph Clark (NY) returning a U.S. note No. 4567 for $100 dated 12 Feb 1872 so thtat Clark might have recourse and the note as evidence of his suit to recover from those who received and passed on to him the stolen goods. Ink stained. **F-VF.** **($70-100)**

3419 Fee Receipt (NY). 1837. $150 signed by **Francis E. Spinner** as Sheriff of Herkimer County in his typical scrawl that was once described as the footprints of a crab. Spinner was the U.S. Treasurer for many years. Also a full document of the case and a U.S. 10¢ note with a Spinner signature. **($60-90)**

3420 Louisiana State Lottery. (LA). 1885. [] Circular for the 179th grand lottery drawing of March 10, 1885. The ticket has the facsimile signatures of **M.A. Dauphin,** the founder and operator; and those of **Generals Beauregard and Early** whose function it was to give an assurance of fairness and respectability to the proceedings. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($50-75)**

3421 Famous Politician's Autographs on Bank of the United States. (DC). [] 1824. Double signed check drawn by **Louis McLane** to himself for $50, he being Secretary of the Treasury, Secretary of State, etc. Hammer cancelled. [] 1827. Check for $32.75 drawn by **R.A. Smith,** the Cashier of the Bank to **Henry Clay** and endorsed by Clay on the back. Clay was a Senator, Speaker of the House, Secretary of State and perrenial U.S. Presidential Candidate. Hammer cancelled. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($100-150)**

3422 Power of Attorney Letter. (MA). 1830. Power of Attorney granted by **Benjamin Gorham,** son of Nathaniel Gorham, former President of the Continental Congress and a U.S. Congressman for five terms in his own right. Gorham and his wife authorized their attorney to receive their dividends from their U.S. bonds. Signed by Gorham, with wax seals and a hole in the bottom left. Otherwise, **VF.** **($20-35)**

Andrew Jackson Autograph

3423 U.S. Army Ration Request. March 1813. Provision return and ration request, signed by General Andrew Jackson (later U.S. President) as Commander of U.S. forces fighting the Indians in Mississippi Territory. Also, an engraved portrait of the General whose popularity was such that he was more heavily applauded in 1837 when he retired then Martin Van Buren, his successor, **VF, Une. 2 Pcs.** **($500-750)**

3424 Confederate Related Item. (LA). 1861. Promissory Note drawn on June 29, 1861 to **R. H. Bryson** by himself, due in December 1861, for $4,263.82. Notation on the back that despite the secession etc., Bryson still recognises his debt (Oct 1866) and signed by R. C. Gibson, a CSA general who led his fellow Louisianians in battles at Shiloh, and Chickamauga. His role as attorney in this case arose from the fact that after the war, there were questions as to whether any debts so contracted were valid as they were payable in Confederate money which was invalid. The Supreme Court subsequently ruled that all such debts were collectible in U.S. funds whether Confederate or other funds were specified. Gluestained, soiled **VF.** **($75-125)**

3425 Selma, Marion & Memphis Railroad Co. (AL). 1869. **$1000** bond Cu, gr, bk, go, br, ptd U.S. revenues on face and back. Signed as President by **Nathan Bedford Forrest,** slave trader. CSA cavalry commander ("Fustest with the Mostest"), Ku Klux Klan leader. Endorsed again by Forrest on the back and with the signatures of Governor W. H. Smith, venal leader of the Radical Republicans in Alabama whose regime was so marked by peculation that even the blacks voted against it. Attractive bond of a firm that also issued its own currency (in defiance of the law) during the Reconstruction period. Aging, **VF.** **($250-350)**

3426 Territory of Orleans Item. 1806. 90 day promissory note, bilingual (Fr,En) for $700. Issued for the Territory of Orleans, the area from Assention Parish south which was on an island. Note the equal use of French which held equal sway with English until 1861. Ink stained and aging. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($100-150)**

3427 Ephemoral Mississippi Post Office. (DC-MI). 1826. Check to **John H. Mallory** for $10.91 signed by **Abraham Bradley,** the first assistant Post-Master General. Mallory was postmaster at Leaf River, later Greensboro, which lost its post office in 1842. Aging, **Une.** **($25-40)**

3428 **Franklin Delano Roosevelt items. [] Engraved portrait** within an oval. **[] Letter by Roosevelt** in 1832 in regard to a book. Signed by one of his secretaries. **[] Bronze inaugural medal.** Each item matted in red, white and blue felt, all within a glassed, gold tinted wood frame. **($200-300)**

Please note that a 10% buyers charge will be added to each lot purchased on all purchases.

3429 **Louisiana Crash Items. (LA).** [] 1839. Louisiana draft for $1500 protested for non-payment in 1839 at the Commercial Bank in Philadelphia. Aging, wax seal covered hole at top. [] 1839. Protest of the same party's draft for $2000 for non-payment 12 days later. Aging, wax seal holes at bottom. [] Form letter at Philadelphia September 30, 1841 advising a Louisiana debtor that his debt has been assigned by the Bank of the United States of Pennsylvania to its creditors and that they are to be paid directly. Part printed. Wax seal hole at right. [] 1842. Protest for a $2516.66 note, owed to Robb and Hage, the senior partner of which firm, James Robb, was a note issuing banker, president of the New Orleans Gaslight Bank and Company, the New Orleans, Jackson and Great Northern RR (which issued notes), and latter several northern railroads. Piece out of the top. **VF. 4 Pcs.** **($25-40)**

3430 Government Franked Letter (DC). 1826. Envelope with an April 6, 1826 stamp at left.: "Free P. Hagner" at right, **Hagner (1772-1850) Accountant,** Third Auditor of the U.S. Treasury, 1817-49. **($15-25)**

3431 + George M. Pullman Items. [] Pullman's Palace Car Company (IL). 1869. **20 shs.** Local typeset, endorsed by George M. Pullman (Pullman Car Company founder and inventor). Punched in signature. [] Pullman Company. (IL). 1823. **100 shs** certificate. RBN, portrait of Pullman, bl, poc. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($50-75)**

3432 London Items. (UK). [] 1815. 15 Month Promissory Note for £500. British 5 shilling tax stamp, wax seal. Acceptance on the face, aging. [] 1866. Copy of this plus a formal protest for non payment, with wax seal' wmkd "J. Wilmott, 1815". Aging, edge splits. **VF. 2 Pcs.** **($50-75)**

3433 **Lincoln, Abraham.** United States Government. U.S. Army Commission for 2nd Lt. Hugh Johnson, 5th Regiment, Infantry (regular army). Signed by **Edwin W. Stanton,** as Secretary of War and **Abraham Lincoln** as President. Magnificent form by J.V.N. and C.U. Thorpe of Washington on parchment with eagle, flags, drum, canon, shells, bugles, bayonettes, etc. Nicely framed. **VF.** **($1500-Up)**

Atheist's Anathema

3434 Letter. (PA-DC). 1862. From **James Pollock** (1810-1890). Governor of PA (1835-8), Director of the U.S. Mint at Philadelphia (1861-6; 69-73) in which capacity he got "In God We Trust" put on the coinage. To Secretary of the Navy, Gideon Welles asking that Welles appoint "Charles Stewart, Esq" to be an Assistant Naval Paymaster. Stewart, an employee of the Mint, needed a more outdoor job and Pollack advises Welles not only had young Stewart been extremely active on Lincoln's behalf in 1860 but Stewart's father, William Stewart (1810-76); U.S. Congressman, etc. had played a major role in carrying his district for Lincoln. Therefore something must be done. There is a small fold split. **EF.** **($35-Up)**

3435 Autograph on Congressional Frank. **"Free J. A. Garfield MC".** On brown paper. Also, a portrait of President Garfield both individually matted and jointly framed on a simple gold leafed antique frame. **($200-300)**

3436 Pequonnock National Bank. (CT). 1883. $89.26. Check drawn on **P.T. Barnum's account** by his attorney H.E. Bowser, with a Barnum portrait at left. Stamp and cut cancelled. **VF.** **($50-75)**

3437 Western Memorabilia. (CA). [] Sheet of paper signed by **Wm Gwin** (1805-1903), first U.S. Senator from California (1850-61). Foxed. [] Letter (IL). 1876, to S. C. Clark, General Supervisor of the Union Pacific RR to ask he extend the courtesies of the road to a Mr. Ogden who is on business on behalf of the Merchant's Dispatch Transportation Company, which owns part of the Union Pacific. Signed by **Chas Fargo,** assisstant General Supervisor of the Union Pacific. **EF, VF. 2 Pcs.** **($15-25)**

3438 **Rutherford B. Hayes,** on card with a wood cut by J. Landy of Cincinnati. Hayes, who was called "Ruthless Fraud" by the Democrats after the 1876 election, has the distinction of being the only U.S. President to have a foreign province named in his honor (Paraguay) because of his intervention against a Brazilian scheme to partition that nation with Argentina. Both individually matted and jointly framed in a simple gold-leafed frame. **($60-80)**

3439 Wright Brothers Items. (OH). [] 1909. Check on the Winters NB of Dayton. $25 payable to Katherine Wright. Signed by **Wilbur Wright** as "Wright Brothers". Punched. [] 1935. Check drawn by **Orville Wright** on the same bank, for $153.88 payable to Leontine Wright Jameson. Punched. **EF. 2 Pcs.** **($150-225)**

3440 Assorted Carter Items. (GA). 1960. 5 checks issued and signed by **Rosalind L. Carter,** President Carter's wife, drawn on the family warehouse via the Plains Mercantile Company and the Bank of Commerce in Americus, GA. One is payable to the IRS, another to Coca Cola, the rest to individuals. **VF. 5 Pcs.** **($25-40)**

3441 Official Commission for the Appointment of **Anson Burlingame** as Minister to China. (1820-1870) Congressman, Minister to China, propounder of the Open Door Policy in China to prevent European annexations or spheres of economic influence. (Burlingame, CA is named in his honor). Also, signed as Secretary of State by **William Seward** (1801-1872), Senator, Governor, etc. and as President by **Abraham Lincoln.** U.S. great seal on wax at left. Badly waterstained, and missing about 5% at the bottom left corner. None of the text is missing. While this is certainly not the finest known commission, the presence of two great men's signatures, and the name of a third great man make it in our opinion worth **($2000-Up)**

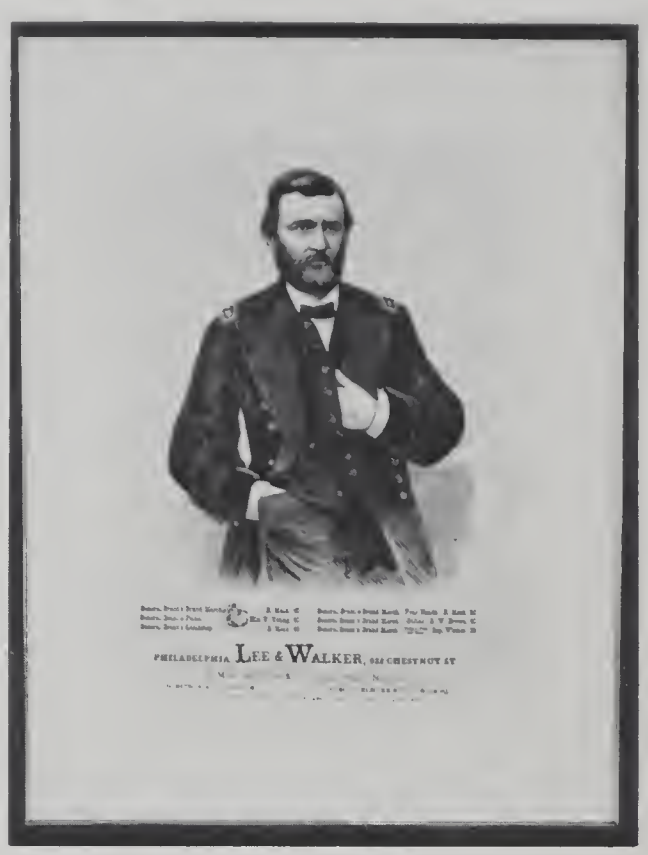
3442 Wells Fargo & Co. Bank. (CA). 1892. Check for $192.45 drawn by **Adolphe Sutro** (1830-1898), brilliant mining engineer (Virginia City), Mayor of San Francisco, bibliophile and philanthropist. Stamped and cut cancelled. **EF.** **($25-50)**

3443 A **Jay Gould** Item. (NY). 1865. Letter in regard to various minor transactions with careful accouting. Signed at the bottom **Jay Gou(ld),** the last two letters being on a missing part of the letter. Gould (1836-1892), was the archtypical Robber Baron, swindler, speculator, corruptionist and ultimate controller of Western Union and half the railroads in the southwest. Split, aged, stained. **($100-150)**

3444 Old New York Item. (NY). 1785. Order for the arrest of Daniel Wood as one of the executors of George Thompson, to insure his appearance on October 13th, as regards a trespass case in which Chief Justice Richard Morris is a witness. Signed **"Varrick, Atty"** on both sides, Richard Varick (1753-1835) was Mayor of N.Y.C. (1789-1800), State Attorney General 1788-9, a revolutionary soldier. Note that Wood had been arrested by the Sheriff, Abraham Van Horne of the New York note signing family, Wood's written promise to appear etc. Note the J. Whatman Pro Patus watermarked paper. There is an engraving of Varick included in the lot. **VF.** **($50-75)**

3445 New York City Item (NY). 1789 Order to **David Phoenix**, Treasurer of the City to pay Joseph Beck £1.10.0 for cleaning the chimneys in the "Gaol" and "the Bridewell" (House of Correction)". Signed by Mayor James Duane (1733-97), Mayor of New York 1784-89, Federal Justice 1789-94. There is a print of the Mayor. Aging, **VF.** **($75-125)**

3446 Revolutionary Certificate authorized by an act of Congress in 1819 and certified (by engraved signature) by **John Quincy Adams** as Secretary of State. Has all 55 signatures engraved from the original Declaration with a border of 14 state arms, U.S. Capitol, Liberty, Justice, U.S. eagle. Top splits and pieces out of the edge. **(Photo)** **($125-175)**



3447 Engraving of U.S. Grant in his Uniform of Lieutenant General in the U.S. Army. Used as a cover for six musical items (four marches, one polka, one quickstep), issued in 1867. Apparent **Grant** signature at the bottom. Nicely framed in velvet and gold. **(Photo)** **($175-250)**

3448 Signature of **Frank Gasparro,** former designer for the Mint, on a form for the first day of issue of the Susan B. Anthony Dollar. Complete with obverse and reverse of the coin, two coins thus mounted, two Anthony related stamps all matted and framed. **($50-Up)**

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